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*Newry*

## Vote set on proposed SAD #44 pullout

By WENDY D. HANSCOM

Voters will go to the polls Sept. 11 to consider starting the withdrawal process from SAD #44 and to appropriate $9,500 to study the issue.

Eighty-one people attended a public hearing conducted by selectmen and Newry School Board Directors on Aug. 28. The public hearing was brought about by a petition submitted to selectmen on Aug. 14. The petition, signed by 29 of Newry's 219 registered voters, was backed by Newry's selectmen and School Board Directors. It asked selectmen to start the withdrawal procedure.

At the hearing townspeople voiced their reasons for considering withdrawal, including concerns over quality of education, the fact that five percent of students attending the district are from Newry but Newry pays 24 percent of SAD #44 budget, and the low number of students Newry sends (55 out of 978) gives Newry a small percentage of voting power at school board and budget meetings.

Gail Sysko, a former school board director and petition supporter, said that her reasons for getting involved were that "$13,225 per student is too much to pay considering the average cost of educating students in the United States." She added, "We pay an awful lot for education and have no say on how its spent."

Les Otten, Newry's growth management committee chairman, said that to his knowledge Newry pays one of the lowest tax rates in Oxford County and that it might be possible to take advantage of the income to benefit the town, to "prove we can do a better job," educating the town's students, Otten said. He added, "The money saved could be used for the aged, poor or for better town facilities."

State Senate hopeful Jeff Mills, commenting on the frustration townspeople felt over property taxes, said that people are becoming unsatisfied all over the state with school funding and taxes in general, and that he would be willing to help move forward changes at the state level.

Al Barth, candidate for State Representative, added, "School funding has to be changed without losing local control."

Some speculated at the hearing about the options Newry might have if it does withdraw.

Allison Aloisio, school board director, said she had contacted the superintendant of Mt. Valley in Rumford/Mexico and that he said there was little room for Newry students at the elementary level, possible room at the middle schools, and plenty of room at the high school.

Townspeople also discussed buying Bear River Grange Hall to be used as a Town Hall and the R.C. Foster building, the current Town Hall, to revert back to a schoolhouse, for elementary and/or middle school students.

Gail Sysko reported that Gould Academy has no quota on local day students and the charge is about $7,500 per year.

Not all talk was pro-withdrawal. Some townpeople voiced concern that Newry would have no say in school policies at a high school level.

"We'd be a bused-in minority," said one person. Another described withdrawal as "cutting our own throats at a high school level."

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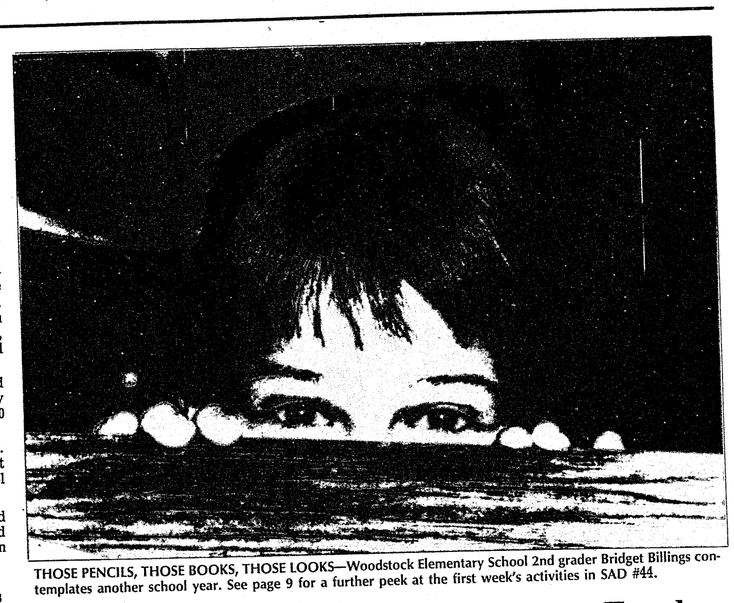

THOSE PENCILS, THOSE BOOKS, THOSE LOOKS—Woodstock Elementary School 2nd grader Bridget Billings contemplates another school year. See page 9 for a further peek at the first week's activities in SAD #44.

## The fruits of this business are sweet—as are the products

By BERNIE WIDEMAN

A couple in their forties recently stopped their Chevrolet station wagon on Route 26 in front of the Hungry Hollow Country Store and walked up the front steps purposefully.

The man announced his arrival to owner Shirley Damm and her daughter-in-law Edie by saying, "I understand you people are pretty good cooks. Word has gotten all the way down to Portland."

In fact, word has gotten all the way down to New Jersey—where the man's mother lives—and to Virginia, and to Texas. An examination of the West Paris store's guest book reads like a geography of the eastern U.S.

And for those who can't visit the store every week or so, proprietor Damm uses the U.S. mail. She sends a loaf of cinnamon bread each month to a customer in Texas. (The couple who dropped in from Portland drove off with a blueberry pie.)

Mrs. Damm says if she could find time to bake more breads and pies she could sell as much as she could produce. In this regard, her story seems an anomaly. Just recently the Trap Corner Store was forced to close; and the Norway Advertiser and Rumford Falls Times weekly papers closed their joint office in Bethel. At a time when most local commercial enterprises are trimming their sails (and their sales), some—such as Skidder's Deli in Bethel and the Hungry Hollow Country Store in West Paris—find their business expanding.

SHIRLEY DAMM tends to one of her regular customers at the Hungry Hollow Country Store, in West Paris.

Mrs. Damm, whose business has expanded yearly since she first opened her store, in September 1984, credits her success to a concept and to her wizardry in the kitchen. The concept she has been developing is that of the small-time country store, where you can find fresh fruits and vegetables, plus locally made crafts, plus homemade foods.

She says, "We're trying to create something from the past—like grandma used to do. But grandma's not here anymore."

The old-time store concept appeals to her, she says, as well as to her husband Robert—a historian. (He was the first director of the Maine State Museum, in Augusta.) But of equal importance is the tastiness of the homemade foods for sale.

"I think it's the homemade food," Mrs. Damm explains as the reason that brings in the steady flow of customers. "The baked goods started to be popular from the first, and it just continued to grow. Now it's the biggest part (of the business)."

Among the baked goods are breads (white, whole wheat, oatmeal, annadama, cinnamon, raisin, rye), cookies (particularly chocolate chip and oatmeal raisin—from grandma's recipe), pies (apple, raspberry, strawberry rhubarb, blueberry, pumpkin), fudge and pudding.

These all get made from scratch, and usually from fresh produce. Mrs. Damm's day starts at 4 a.m. By 5:30 she's in the little kitchen at the store, starting to prepare the day's baked goods. These will usually include about 20 loaves of bread and 10-14 pies.

The talented baker says of her output: "You just can't make enough. But that's all I can handle."

The baked goods do not exhaust the list of homemade foods Mrs. Damm produces, however. There's also homemade baked beans, chicken pies, chicken divan, macaroni and cheese, beef stew (a specialty produced by Robert), sauerkraut, cole slaw, potato salad, jams, applesauce, apple butter and apple relish.

The presence of lots of apple-related items is due to the fact that the Damms own an apple orchard, just up the hill from the store. In fact, it was the purchase of the apple orchard that brought them to West Paris to begin with, back in 1979. Prior to that they had lived in Manchester, Maine, and prior to that in Idaho, Connecticut and Toledo, Ohio, where both Shirley

See *HUNGRY HOLLOW*, page 8

## Noontime power outage Tuesday shuts down most of 7 area towns

By CHRISTY CROSS

A railroad company "bush hog" trimming brush and trees along the tracks Tuesday noon trimmed a 30-35-foot spruce tree—which fell onto a high-voltage transmission line, which threw off sparks, which left most of the towns of Bethel, Greenwood, Bryant Pond, Newry, Gilead, Milton Plantation and parts of Gilead without power for about an hour.

The trimmer was working along the tracks south of Bethel Village, almost to the P.H. Chadbourne mill on Route 26, when the tree hit the wire.

Bethel firefighters quickly put out the scattering of fires started by the sparks.

John Elliot of Central Maine Power Co. said the line the tree struck is the 34,500-volt power transmission line that runs between the power sub-station at Pinhook Road in Woodstock and the sub-station at Cross Street in Bethel.

A CMP bucket truck arrived from South Paris about 30 minutes after the 11:30 a.m. fire call. Elliot said the men in the truck would visually inspect the "high line" wires where they appeared scorched before "re-energizing" the line. The power was restored at about 12:20 p.m.

Elliot said the railroad, the St. Lawrence & Atlantic, will have to pay for the outage. "I wish they'd work in coordination with us and let us know when they're going to be working in the area," he said.

## Bethel tax rate up 23.3 percent

By CHRISTY CROSS

The 1991 tax rate for Bethel has been set at $13.50 per $1,000 of valuation, according to Deputy Tax Collector Merton Brown.

The rate is 23.3 percent higher than the 1990 rate of $10.95 per $1,000, which was in turn 12.8 percent higher than the 1989 tax rate, according to town records.

As an example for Bethel taxpayers, the 1991 tax on a home valued at $95,000 is $1,282.50, up $242.25 from 1990 and up $361 from 1989.

Brown said increases in the school appropriation and the county tax accounted for most of the increase. Town office figures show a 39 percent increase in the 1991 school appropriation over 1990 and a 45 percent increase in the 1991 county tax over 1990. The municipal appropriation, by comparison, increased .011

See *BETHEL TAX*, page 8

## G'wood seeks Vietnam-era veterans' names for memorial

By this coming Veterans Day, Nov. 11, the Town of Greenwood and the Jackson-Silver American Legion Post #68 hope to have added the names of Vietnam-era veterans to the town's war memorial.

The Post and the Greenwood selectmen are compiling a list of all veterans who served on active duty between Dec. 22, 1961 and May 7, 1975.

To be included on the list, a veteran must have been a resident of Greenwood at the time he or she entered the armed forces.

Selectman Ron Smith said the board of selectmen has agreed to ask town voters to approve paying for adding the names, on the condition that the Jackson-Silver Post be responsible for compiling as accurate a list as possible of eligible veterans.

Smith estimated that there would be 30 to 35 eligible veterans, and that the cost of adding their names would be approximately $2,500.

He said the selectmen plan to call a special town meeting during the fall, at which time voters will be asked to approve the money for the memorial work and to deal with a number of other "housekeeping," articles.

The Greenwood war memorial is located on the common in Locke Mills, next to Bob's Corner Store.

The memorial currently lists the names of town residents who served in the two world wars and the Korean Conflict.

Vietnam-era veterans, or anyone knowing the name of a veteran who should be included on the list, are asked to contact Warren G. Smith, at 875-3340, or the Greenwood Town Office, at 875-2773.

NEARLY PERPETUAL SERVICE—Jim Knight, sexton of the Bryant Pond Universalist Church Cemetery, recently received a plaque commemorating his 35 years of service. The long-time sexton remembers when much of the lakeside cemetery was covered with brambles, and what lawn there was had to be cut with hand-powered mowers. The plaque was presented by Woodstock Town Manager Vern Maxfield, on behalf of the town, which maintains the cemetery. *(Photo by Michael Daniels)*

## G & W Solid Waste Committee turns down new recycling contract with B.A.R. Company

The Greenwood and Woodstock Solid Waste Committee has voted not to sign a new, two-year contract to have B.A.R. Company of Oxford continue to handle the disposal of the two-towns' recyclable solid waste.

B.A.R. has been handling the towns' recyclables for the past year—providing a collection container at the G & W Transfer Station and hauling the containers away when they were full.

At last Wednesday's meeting of the solid waste committee, B.A.R. President Brian Rogers proposed a formal two-year contract for providing these services.

However, the solid waste committee, which hopes to hear within the week on a state grant to underwrite the cost of a regional recycling program, voted not to sign up with B.A.R.

Committee Chairman Marie Bartlett said the towns' current arrangement with B.A.R. is on the basis of "a handshake agreement," and that the solid waste committee hopes to continue some arrangement with B.A.R. until such time as the county-wide recycing effort is fully operational.

Bartlett said that Rogers has agreed to let the towns continue to rent the roll-off recycling container now at the transfer station, at least until he has another town that is willing to sign a contract for the service.

Over the course of the year that B.A.R. has hauled off the towns' recyclables, the costs for the service have risen by more than 40 percent.

Originally, Bartlett said, the towns paid only for the rental of the roll-off container and for the newspaper that was taken out. Now, however, the towns also pay for disposing of each of the other categories of recyclables—for example, plastics, glass and cardboard.

Rogers has attributed these increases to poor market conditions and to his increased operating costs.

Bartlett said she and other local officials attempting to deal with the solid-waste problem are "waiting on pins and needles," for the decision on the $235,000 state grant.

The grant, from the Maine Waste Management Agency, would be used to set up and run a regional recycling program, which, according to Bartlett, would not only cost individual towns less to run, but would generate the larger volumes of recycled materials needed to make the recycling efforts cost effective.

She said that representatives of the regional organization, the Oxford County Regional Solid Waste Corporation met last month with officials of the state agency and were "extremely optimistic," about prospects for receiving the grant.

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**PUBLIC HEARING, TOWN OF BETHEL**
**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING**

DATE: Wednesday, September 12, 1990
TIME: 7:00
PLACE: Telstar High School Auditorium

The purpose of the special town meeting is to act upon the following articles:

**Article 2:** Authorization to apply to the Farmers Home Administration for loan and grant monies in the amount of $330,000.00 for sewer line, storm and street reconstruction improvements in the Bethel downtown neighborhood area.

**Article 3:** To borrow funds for engineering design work for sewer line and storm drain replacement work in the remainder of the village area.

Board of Selectman
Town of Bethel

# Opinions

## Beyond Bethel Park Apartments

The public hearing on Bethel Park Apartments is Thursday at 7 p.m. at Telstar.

Beyond the interests of those who have been most vocal against the project thus far, we expect people to be out speaking in favor of the project. Finally, another side.

And beyond the pro or con opinions to be expressed specific to this project, we encourage everyone to attend, to use this discussion as a catalyst for a focused effort to define property use in not just one neighborhood, but in the whole of Bethel.

It's time to stop the knee-jerk reactions to each development project that comes along. It's time to decide just how and where the town as a whole wants to grow. Do the majority of townspeople want strip development along Route 2? Do the majority of people think population density in Bethel Village ought to be limited?

Attend the meeting, listen, and start thinking. It's up to Bethel residents to decide. But if they leave the gate wide open, developers are sure to keep passing through, wandering wherever they want.

-CCC

WAITING FOR DEP—Stan Howe, director of the Bethel Historical Society, points out details of the proposed Bethel Park Apartments' site to Rodney Howe of the Army Corps of Engineers, prior to an inspection of the wetland area Friday. The Corps showed up for the inspection, as did a group of Bethel planners and villagers and a representative of the would-be developers. But nearly a half-hour after the agreed upon meeting time, they were all still waiting. The DEP never did show, so the group examined the wetlands on the site without the benefit of the state agency's expertise. The state and federal site inspections are separate from the local planning board review.

# Letters to the editor

***NOT AT CHARAIN'S***

**To the Editor:**

An incident took place in Market Square, South Paris on the evening of Aug. 24 during a private party.

An individual was knocked unconscious, and while laying unconscious was beaten and injured badly.●

This individual lay unconscious for an hour or so. Then some of the people involved got scared they stuffed the unconscious body into the back seat of the individual's own car and transported the unconscious body from South Paris 15 miles to a remote isolated area of West Paris, where some of the individuals involved met with another person to decide what should be done with this unconscious person. The person was then transported another five miles to the person's parents' home in West Paris and the father was notified of his offspring being in the back seat of the car and badly hurt. The ambulance and sheriff's office were called.

The beating took place in South Paris, not at ChaRain's in West Paris. I understand an investigation is continuing.

Thanks to Tri-Town Rescue especially to Warren and Mary Emery; and to the Oxford County Sheriff's Department, special thanks to the first officer on the scene.

*Wade Rainey/Charlotte Kemper*
*ChaRain's*

***PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC ON MASON STREET NEGLIGIBLE?***

**To the Editor:**

After reading Gleichman and Co.'s answers to Rodney Lynch's questions, I was rather perturbed about their answer to question #7 relating to pedestrian traffic.

Their only concern seemed to be with NTL traffic.

What about the 25-30 children who live on Mason, Church and Spring streets? What about all the children walking to and from Ethel Bisbee and Cresent Park Schools? What about all the residents who are taxpayers on these streets?

In no way is NTL to be inconvenienced but the residents are considered negligible.

We are the people who pay taxes on our homes and streets. I'm sure Gleichman and Co. will not be paying over a $1,000 a year in taxes for each apartment.

I don't consider young children walking to school or a six-year old boy not too steady on his new bike "negligible."

*Mary Jo Kelly*
*Mason Street*

***NEWRY SHOULDN'T WITHDRAW***

**To the Editor:**

On Aug. 28 I was present at the gathering of SAD #44 staff in preparation for the next day's opening of school. As I heard the credentials of the 13 new staff joining the district, and as I looked at the people gathered, I was struck by two things:

First, we have a wonderfully diverse group of educators in our system, representing a broad spectrum of expertise and background, to choose from as our children move through the system.

Secondly, it was clear that these were my neighbors—many of whom I see regularly, chatting in the market, bumping elbows at Mollyockett Day, rejoicing or mourning together as we share common events of living in the SAD #44 community.

In the evening of the same day, I sat at a hearing in Newry discussing a proposal to form a committee to study the implementation of withdrawal from the SAD #44 community. This committee will not consider alternative issues such as the severely flawed system of property-based funding of education.

The Newry hearing had very little to say about issues of education. Even those present who have led the drive to separate from the SAD #44 community were reluctant or unable to speak of alternate educational models they envisioned. The issue was clearly money. There is a very real difference between the quality of education and how education is funded.

The proposal before Newry voters on Sept. 11 will ask if a large amount of money and time should be spent studying how to withdraw and separate from the community to which we naturally belong. I would hope that instead we gather our creative and financial resources to join not only with our local SAD #44 community but with the statewide movement to address the serious flaws in property-based funding of education.

The proposal before Newry voters Sept. 11 does not sound like an objective study of pros and cons. There will be no attempt to address the funding of education which everyone believes is the major issue for taxpayers statewide. Newry having its own school system will not change the way we pay for it and thus our property taxes could go up as well as down.

The SAD #44 school district is not perfect. As all gatherings of human beings, we need to be life-long learners and constantly open to change and growth, confrontation and reconciliation. To abandon our natural geographic, economic, and social community does not sound creative or innovative to me. I urge Newry residents to vote 'no' Sept. 11 on the proposal to study a way to abandon SAD #44. Let us instead join with our neighbors to address the real financial crisis of property-based funding of education.

*Merrill Bittner*
*Newry*

FROM THE

## Bethel Town Office

Recently there has been some confusion surrounding Gleichman & Co.'s proposed Bethel Park Apartments project and it's relationship to the Town's efforts to obtain a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) loan/grant funding.

The funding will be used for sewer line, storm drain, and water main improvements, and reconstruction for Mason, Spring, Elm, High, and Main streets (downtown Bethel neighborhood area).

The purpose of this week's column is to more clearly explain the project and its benefits to the town and the developer.

The town first considered applying for CDBG funds last November to help finance the removal of large quantities of storm water from the sewer collection system (to allow for new sewer hook-ups and to meet the DEP consent agreement).

The Citizen's Advisory Committee and Town Office staff knew we had to design an exceptional application to be competitive with the other 59 Maine communities competing for the available $5.8 million in CDBG funds.

Because the state would look most favorably on an application which included both the elements of increased affordable housing, and infrastructure improvements for a low/moderate income neighborhood (sewer, storm drains, water mains, etc.); we wrote the grant application to include both the Bethel Park Apartments project and the downtown Bethel neighborhood improvements.

This neighborhood was anticipated to (and did) meet the low/moderate income requirements of the grant, however there was not enough time to do an income survey. The commitment from Gleichman for the affordable housing project immediately qualified the Bethel application as low/moderate income. A portion of the work in this project would have been necessary before Gleichman's project could go ahead.

This downtown Bethel area was selected for improvement because:

1.) The greatest amount of storm-water (229,000 gallons per day) could be removed for each dollar invested. This would create enough capacity in the sewer system for the addition of 45,800 gallons per day (gpd) of sewerage, the equivalent of 254 single family homes;

2.) The under-sized and deteriorated water mains in the area needed to be upgraded;

3.) Reconstruction of deteriorating roads and sidewalks would be needed soon; and

4.) This area has a large elderly and low/moderate income population which would benefit from these improvements. (A later income survey proved this to be true).

The housing project would discharge 9,000 gpd into the sewer system. The remaining 36,800 gpd of unused sewerage capacity would be available for use throughout the village area.

This would allow for the connection of the equivalent of up to 205 new single family homes to the sewer system, which should take care of Bethel's construction needs in the village for the next several years.

Presently there is only a very small amount of unused capacity in the sewer system, and this is rapidly being used up.

Without these improvements, construction in the village would come to a virtual halt until more storm water could be removed from the sewers.

Since each new sewer connection, or additional flow into the sewer system, is required to pay a sewer connection permit fee of $10 per gpd, the town could generate $368,000 in revenues which would be used for further sewer work.

In addition, the user fees from the completed Bethel Park Apartments would produce about $20,000 in sewer income each year; much of which would reduce the cost each user has to pay for expenses.

The town will use the CDBG grant money for storm drains (38 percent), street reconstruction work (40 percent), and to upgrade the size and type of watermains (22 percent) in the neighborhood to 12" dectile iron to provide adequate flows and water pressure for fire protection.

As a result, an aging section of the water system would be replaced and the overall fire protection for the entire village will be improved and made more reliable.

If not for the CDBG funds, these repairs would have to be financed through increased town taxes and water rates.

The $333,000 of FmHA grant money is based on user fees compared to household income. We expect to receive $186,000 of this as a grant. There are no user fees for storm drains and streets, and the water rates are too low to qualify for an FmHA grant. This plan produces the lowest cost for the citizens of Bethel, and total grants of over $760,000 to the town.

In summary: Yes, the Bethel Park Apartments project will gain something from the grants and loans we are pursuing, but 80 percent of all the sewerline and storm drain improvements will benefit the residents and businesses in the entire town, and the entire town benefits from the improvements in streets and fire protection.

These benefits come both directly, and from the money saved in avoiding having to do these improvements piecemeal.

The Office of Economic and Community Development has indicated to me that CDBG funds are currently dependent upon the approval of the Bethel Park Apartments, but that options may be available.

If the Bethel Park project is denied the town will approach the state to seek approval based on the benefit to the existing low/moderate income population in the neighborhood.

The advisory committee feels that the State would be receptive to this approach.

*Rodney Lynch*
*Town Manager*


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## A proposed bill limiting property tax

Are you tired of seeing older people, lower, and now middle income homeowners taxed right out of their homes? Tired of town officials who somehow equate the homeowner with the "Wet Dream Bank and Trust Company," with no apparent display of remorse or concern at throwing you or anyone else, out in the street, when, for whatever reason, you are unable to meet their extortion demands, for more tax money than you are able to come up with, when they snap their fingers?

Tired of seeing greedy speculators buy and "roll over" property in your area, adding 50 or so thousand dollars to the price, and unloading it before their balloon mortgage rate starts to climb, and leaving as a result, excessively high so-called "Fair Market Value" assessments for you to have your tax rate determined by?

One wonders about the wisdom of our so-called highly educated officials, in allowing such things to occur, when the end result is property too high to price for the local economic base to be able to carry, even before the added burden of ballooned mortgage rates, and outrageously high property taxes are added. Do you still wonder why the banks and S&Ls are folding? Don't you also get the feeling of being on a large ship, that is taking on water, and the captain is too drunk to stand up? I think the American people are no longer willing to bail these fools out, and think as I do, that a little cold water might wake them up.

We the people, (commonly known as the Taxpayers), must take back control of our non-perfect union, from the hands of special interests, speculators, and incompetent local assessors, and start standing up for our long forgotten rights, guaranteed in the Constitution of the United States. It seems, the ghost of King George, has stolen them from us, one piece at a time, and all that remains, seems to be a demand note for more money. No reason given…

In my own recent experience, I have had my 75x120 foot lot of land, that my house sits on here in Old Orchard Beach, increase from $3,300 in 1972 when the house was purchased, to $13,900 in 1988, to $103,900 this year. How does anyone who very carefully plans his budget, buying only what he can afford, often going without things that are too expensive, anticipate or plan for such a reckless and irresponsible increased tax demand?

There are many people across this state in very simular situations, some not as bad, but many much worse. It is time to act. A bill is now being drafted by Rep. Peggy Pendleton, that should put some sanity back into the way such matters are handled. The following is what has been proposed:

1 Property value should no longer be based on the speculative, so-called "Fair Market Value" principal. It should be frozen at the original price paid, plus any value added by additions in excess of EX. $500, determined by cash receipts, with a cost of living factor added for each year of ownership, based on, and not to exceed, the national cost of living index. The only revaluation allowed, should be at the time of legal transfer, or sale of the property. The value should then be based on what was paid by the buyer at the time of the transfer, or resale, and having no influence on the value of the property next door.

2 A standard, State wide mill rate, per square foot, for land in use as a house or business lot. A lower mill rate should be established for land having no usage, and not connected to property having dwelling on it (woodlands, or unused farmland). For property sitting on unused farmland, or connected to woodlands, should have a standard footage allowance to determine which is house lot, and which is unused land. Example: 1,000 square feet of any land under or around dwelling shall be considered as land to be rated as a house lot, the remainder, if not in use, should be rated as unused land, with a lower mill rate.

3 Any additional funds needed by the town, over the amount collected by property tax, must be approved first by the voters of the town by a majority, to establish and verify need, then a request should be made to the State for their review, and funds granted upon approval

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THIS WEEK AT THE

## Moses Mason House

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the 25th annual meeting will be held on Thursday, Sept. 6 in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m. A potluck supper will precede the meeting beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Featured speaker for the evening will be Dr. Robert M. York, State Historian, who will make a slide presentation entitled "500 Miles of Maine Trollies."

During the annual meeting, the president will make a report of the highlights of the past year, new officers and trustees will be elected and the Marjorie MacArthur Noll Volunteer Service Award will be presented to an outstanding volunteer.

Anyone attending the supper is urged to bring a hot dish, salad or dessert. The meeting is open to anyone interested.

Over 60 percent of the 1990 Bethel Historical Society Endowment Campaign goal has been received to date from 222 donors.

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**LOOKING BACK**

**10 years ago:** A special town meeting was held at Telstar auditorium to consider the issue of approving up to 20 units of elderly housing in the former Thunderbird Motel on Main Street, the borrowing of $37,000 for the town's share of the Chapman Brook bridge, acceptance of Chandler Terrace as a town road, the purchase of 16.78 acres of land off Bridge Street for a recreation site and the enactment of a revised dog control ordinance.

Forty-two senior citizens from the Bethel area toured historic sites in Old York, touring the Emerson Wilcox House and the Old Goal among other sites.

Births: Jarrod Nelson Fournier, Rebekah A. Howe, Peter L. Chase.

Death: Charles J. Hibbard, Jr.

**20 years ago:** The Androscoggin Valley CB Club was serving free coffee and doughnuts to motorists on U.S. Route 2 in Hanover to combat driver fatigue.

Rep. E. Louise Lincoln (R-Bethel) was selected as a delegate to the 23rd National Legislative Conference held in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Ten members of Pleasant Valley Grange, West Bethel, received their 25-year membership certificates and pins.

Births: Michael Avery Angevine, Ellen Laura Hastings.

Marriages: Kenneth Jodrey and Debra French; H. Knox Bickford and Ann H. Swan.

Deaths: Earle W. Chainey, Merton V. Bolster.

**30 years ago:** Eric A Sahlberg of Lincoln, Mass., was elected to succeed Donald M. Christie as superintendent of Union 23, consisting of the towns of Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Newry, Upton and West Paris.

Work was begun on the new road at Lynchville. The contract was awarded to H.E. Sargent Inc. of Stillwater with a bid of $151,710, the lowest of the ten submitted.

Alvin Barth, Jr. joined the faculty of Gould Academy.

The Western Maine Chapter, Maine Law Enforcement Association, met at the Masonic Hall in Bethel.

Birth: Theresa Tenny.

Marriage: Richard A. Robie and Catherine Carver.

**40 years ago:** Electric service was disrupted as far as Norway for 45 minutes when a Grand Trunk Railway crane disrupted powerlines in West

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# Police report

## Bethel

On Friday, Aug. 31 at 11:35 a.m. a Songo Pond Road resident reported about $10 worth of gasoline had been stolen from her truck while it was parked in her yard.

On Thursday, Aug. 30 at 10:57 p.m. a Clark Street resident reported several "rowdy, intoxicated pedestrians" in the parking lot of a Bethel lounge. Police arrived to find the people had left. The resident called back at 11:25 p.m. and again at 1:01 a.m. to report that they were back. Each time, police returned and found no one in the parking lot.

At 11 p.m. a Cross Street store employee reported selling beer to a customer who she said then went outside and gave the beer to a person who appeared to be around 16 or 17 years old.

At 9:50 p.m. police provided a night deposit escort for a Route 2 business.

At 5:33 p.m. a Flat Road, West Bethel resident reported that the previous night someone had stolen two gasoline cans, both containing gasoline, from his garage.

At 8:38 a.m. a Bethel Water District employee reported vandals had damaged a water district "sampler pipe" near the former GAMM II building. Cost of repair is estimated at $300.

At 8:35 a.m. police issued a permit to a Flat Road, West Bethel resident to drive a car to an inspection station.

At 3:49 p.m. police received a report from an unknown caller that a suspicious person was in the IGA parking lot. The officer arrived to find a man who said he hadn't been able to sleep so he was taking a walk around town.

On Wednesday, Aug. 29 at 8:56 p.m. a Flat Road resident reported she had been assaulted at her residence between 8:10 and 8:45 p.m.

At 3:15 p.m. police confiscated for five days the skateboards of two boys who were seen riding down Paradise Road and across Broad Street.

At 3:05 p.m. a Church Street resident reported a suspicious vehicle on Broad Street.

At 12:15 a.m. police called a person whose car was parked at Sudbury Village to tell her that the car's lights had been left on.

On Tuesday, Aug. 28 at 11:15 p.m. a Chapman Street resident reported a possible prowler on the Chapman Street area. Police searched the area and found no one.

On Monday, Aug. 27 at 11:45 p.m. a Park Street resident reported a Peeping Tom looking in one of her windows.

At 10:10 p.m. police provided a night deposit escort for a Route 2 business.

At 5:30 p.m. a Freeport man gave police a list of four people who, he said, would be canvassing the town until 9 p.m. for the Maine People's Alliance.

At 12:38 p.m. a Bethel resident reported that a speeding tractor trailer truck had thrown a stone which put a hole in her car's windshield.

At 11:40 a.m. police harvested 62 marijuana plants from several locations on the riverbanks off the NorthWest Bethel Road.

At 9:45 a.m. a Bethel resident turned in a packet of Travelers' Checks which had been found in a parking lot.

At 9:30 a.m. a Vernon Street resident reported finding a bullet hole in his dump truck.

## Andover

Saturday, Aug. 25:

Investigated terrorizing and harassment complaint on East B Hill Road.

Checked suspicious vehicle at Covered Bridge.

Checked local businesses; all secure.

Friday, Aug. 24:

Investigated littering on East B Hill.

Issued warning to motorist for speeding.

Issued defect for loud exhaust system.

Thursday, Aug. 23:

Investigated suspicious vehicle reported to the Sheriff's Department as being used in a scam operation in the Andover area.

Investigated abandoned vehicle at the end of the dump road.

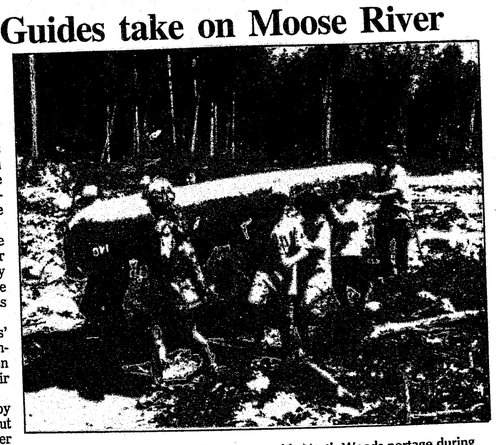
Warned motorist for speeding.

Checked business doors, all secure.

Tuesday, Aug. 14:

Investigated criminal mischief to motor vehicle parked at the Covered Bridge.

# Junior Maine Guides take on Moose River



MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK on this North Woods portage during the Junior Maine Guides canoe trip.

Twelve lucky local youngsters are now a little more at home in the woods, thanks to this summer's Junior Maine Guide canoe trip.

According to Kevin Slater, who helped lead the group, this summer's trip marked the first time children from the Bethel area were able to take advantage of the program, which is intended to teach safe camping and lake and river canoeing skills.

The group spent four days on the Moose River, near Jackman. After setting out from Holeb Pond, they logged 44 miles on the river during the four days, and spent their four nights camping out.

Slater reports that the campers' parents were impressed by the increased confidence the children developed over the course of their four-day adventure.

This year's trip was sponsored by the Newry Recreation Committee, but was open to youngsters from other towns in SAD #44.

Slater said he hopes to make the trip an annual affair.

Taking part this year were: Jessie Wight, B.J. Otten, Jerry Bernier, Eva Paul, Jason Berry, Ian Paquette, Josh Morton, Patrick Moore, Seneca Brooke, Angie Wheeler, Toby Parker and Michael Bowie.

Denise Gauthier helped to lead the trip.

The Junior Maine Guide Program is a statewide effort of the Maine Warden Service and the Maine Youth Camping Association.

## Proposal

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based on the greatest need, or order of importance.

4 A special fund should be established to provide the above needs, and be drawn from the collection of sales, and income taxes. This will insure that everyone earning a living, and using town and county services, will have an opportunity to share in the support of running their communities, instead of loading it all on the backs of the few property owners.

The above ideas are rough, and need your input, but when perfected and properly drafted, should stop this runaway revaluation and taxation mess that is threatening to bring our entire system to it's knees.

Lets make the assessor wait for the eggs to hatch, before counting his chickens...Lets hear from everyone. We need your input and support. Write yes or no on a postcard, and send it with your name and address to Property Tax Reform, Box 136, Old Orchard Beach, Me., 04064.

You can also send a copy of this editorial with a note to your State Senator, or favorite candidate. Let him or her, know you want something done now to reform this fouled up system. Let's do it.

*Wesley Curtis*
*Old Orchard Beach*

## KEEP US IN MIND

It's that time of year when your local Rotary Club must start gathering items for our annual auction. The proceeds of all of our efforts go to support such projects as the Senior Citizen Christmas Dinner, Christmas Food Baskets for the needy, student scholarships, support of the local health facilities, summer camp tuitions, area athletes expenses, disabled individuals needs, etc. If you're cleaning the garage, attic, or cellar, let us get rid of those unneeded items for you. Call Roger Conant, 824-2131 or 824-2269, for pickup. Help us with your support of our projects. It's a good feeling!

# Jeri Greenwell attends national 70th Legion Auxiliary Convention

Jeri Brooks Greenwell of Bethel attended the 70th annual American Legion Auxiliary National Convention held for the first time in its headquarters city, Indianapolis, Ind., on Aug. 27-30.

She is one of 2,000 delegates or alternates elected to attend the convention of the world's largest patriotic women's service organization.

Greenwell is National Junior Activities Chairman and has been a devoted Auxiliary member for many years. She is a Life member of Mundt-Allen Unit #81. Locally she is a member of SAD #44 Board of Directors for which she serves as a member of the Finance and Personnel Committees. She is also office manager of Brooks Bros. Inc.

Highlights of the convention included an address by Vice President Dan Quayle, greetings by Indiana Governor Evan Bayh and Indianapolis Mayor William H. Hudnut, III, and the presentation of the Auxiliary Woman of the Year Award to Marilyn Tucker Quayle. In addition to her full-time duties as the wife of the Vice President, Quayle is an attorney and member of the Indiana Bar, and is a member of the Federal Energy Management Agency's Advisory Board. She has traveled all over the world in her work for disaster relief and economic development programs.

Proceedings opened with a memorial service and full-dress parade honoring the nation's war veterans and closed with a gala anniversary celebration commemorating the organization's 70 years of service to God and Country.

The Auxiliary is a one million-member organization, founded in 1920 to support the work of the American Legion and now provides for the well-being of the nation's nearly one million living American veterans, their families and youth through a number of fund-raising and volunteer programs.

Dedicated to service and charitable work, Auxiliary members contributed $12.4 million dollars and 10.6 million hours of volunteer service during the 1989-90 administrative year.

## Telstar Boosters to meet

Telstar Athletic Boosters Club will meet Thursday, Sept. 6, from 7-8 p.m. in the Telstar library.

Items to be discussed are problems keeping the club active; the future of the club; how to organize the club; types of projects; fund-raising activities; membership drive; inviting Oxford Hills Booster President and Athletic Director to come to the next meeting.

## Moses Mason

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Bethel.

Ninety relatives and friends attended the fourth annual reunion of the Dunham family at the home of Lester Cole in Greenwood.

Bethel's second Bazaar (forerunner of Mollyockett Day) was a very successful event in every way with a large attendance despite the rainy afternoon.

Marriage: Carl E. Wight and Eva G. Stinson.

50 years ago: Work was started on Bennett's new garage at Main and Elm streets. The new structure was 45x60 feet, providing twice the repair space of the former garage.

Heavy frosts in the Bethel area did extensive crop damage.

Many attended the Wilkie rally at the home of Mrs. W.R. Chapman (now the Chapman Inn).

Births: Reginald T. Roberts, Jr., Marie Ellen Heikkinen.

Marriage: Ellsworth D. Curtis, Jr. and Thalia Proctor.

# Local fall tourism being promoted by American Express Company

Area businesses have joined with American Express in offering the "Maine September Spectacular," a program designed to encourage visits to Maine during the leaf-turning season.

During the month of September, American Express Cardmembers will receive a 10 percent discount on purchases made at participating businesses throughout Maine. This includes retailers, restaurants, inns and other attactions and services.

Participating area businesses include the Chapman Inn Bed and Breakfast, Rostay Motor Inn, Scott Management Co., Sudbury Inn, Sunday River Ski Resort, The Douglass Place, The River View, Bonnema Pottery, Maine Line Products and S. Timberlake Co.

"We are pleased so many American Express Cardmembers will have the opportunity to discover the beauty of Maine during our glorious fall season," said Hilary N. Sinclair, director of the Office of Tourism. "Few states are able to offer visitors such beautiful indoor and outdoor experiences."

The promotion marks the first time that American Express has joined with a state in such a program.

"American Express is delighted to be working on such an innovative program with the State of Maine and its many establishments that accept the American Express Card," said Edwin M. Cooperman, president and chief executive officer, American Express Travel Related Services North American. "Cardmembers will surely enjoy the unique attractions in Maine, as well as the outstanding values from the 'Maine September Spectacular.'"

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# Regional Roundup

## Lisbon man held in Bethel burglary

BETHEL—The former boyfriend of a young Bethel woman was arrested Aug. 29 and charged with burglarizing the woman's apartment on Aug. 28, said Oxford County Sheriff's Department Capt. James P. Miclon.

The 20-year old woman, who police have not identified, was found in her bedroom in a "semi-conscious" state at about 8:30 p.m. Aug. 28, Milclon said, by her present boyfriend, who was also not identified.

The woman was taken to Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway, where she was treated for bruises and scrapes and released, Miclon said.

Shortly after 6 p.m. Aug. 29, police arrested Dennis W. McNamara, 38, of 27 Center St., Lisbon, at J.J. Nissen Co.'s truck terminal in Portland, where McNamara is employed as a truck driver, Miclon said. He was charged with burglary, class B, said Miclon.

Miclon said he is awaiting medical reports and that the investigation is continuing.

McNamara was being held Aug. 30 at the Oxford County Jail in lieu of bail set at $15,000, 20 percent cash, or double surety, with the condition that he have no contact with the 20-year-old woman, said Miclon.

## Town manager to review testimony

NORWAY—A decision on whether any disciplinary action will be taken against Police Chief James R. DeNormandie will be made within a "week or two," Town Manager David Holt said Aug. 28.

A two-day administrative hearing looking into complaints against the police chief concluded late Monday afternoon, Aug. 27, Holt said. During the closed-door session, Holt heard testimony from police officers as to why they filed a vote of no confidence against DeNormandie in July, as well as DeNormandie's response to that testimony.

Before he mades a decision, Holt says he needs to "review documents and talk to people" to follow up on issues raised during the hearing.

Holt called the hearing a "trying; very long" process. "Under the circumstances," he said, "all the people involved handled themselves in a businesslike manner during the confines of the hearing."

Holt said the hearing allowed him to better understand the issues and concerns of the police department.

Until Holt makes a decision, DeNormandie is on a paid suspension.

## Education costs causing financial woes

MEXICO—The only way the Town of Mexico can survive financially is either to secure a change in the school funding formula or "merge" with the Town of Rumford, town officials said Friday of the community's "desperate" financial condition.

"I don't see any end in sight," Town Manager Timothy Kelcourse said of the town's escalating share of School Administrative Distict 43 costs. "There's no relief anywhere in sight."

Kelcourse tracked the rising cost of education over the past decade, showing that Mexico's share increased by $616,271 over the period. In 1981, Mexico paid $293,379 for education. By 1990, the amount totaled $909,650, according to the manager.

Meanwhile, the amount to be raised by taxation for municipal services increased $114,576 in 10 years, Kelcourse said, up $533,557 in 1990 from $418,981 in 1981.

"We're so tight on the town side that there's no room to reduce anything," Kelcourse said. "If we reduce anything, we'd be eliminating services at this point."

The SAD #43 budget for 1990-91 totals just under $10 million. Mexico's share totaled $956,431, including the $909,650 raised through direct property taxation.

Kelcouse and Selectman Bruce Gilbert concede the town's tax rate of 39 mills (or $39 per $1,000 in property value) is "probably" the highest in Maine.

"I think the Town of Mexico, to survive, either has to get the school formula changed or the two towns will have to merge," Kelcourse said.

Bankruptcy, also, is on Kelcourse's mind. "We are desperate. I don't know what will happen unless we get some relief from some direction...We may be the first community to file bankruptcy."

Kelcourse said Mexico's valuation is $39 million, compared with Rumford's $519,000 million. One mill of property tax raises $519,000 in revenue for Rumford, but one mill raises $39,000 for Mexico, he said.

Mexico's tax rate jumped another five mills this year, to 39 mills, following a five-mill increase in 1989. Meanwhile, Rumford selectmen officially lowered the town's tax rate Aug. 23 from 22 to 19 mills.

Of the 39 mills to be raised by Mexico's 3,300 citizens, 23.25 are required for education; 13.5 for municipal operations; and 2.25 for county taxes for a total of about $1.5 million, based on Kelcourse's figures.

In Rumford, where the tax rate is $19 per $1,000 in valuation and where Boise Cascade Corp. pays about 80 percent of the tax bill, the picture is much different.

Of the 19 mills to be raised, about nine are dedicated to education and the remaining 10 for municipal services and county taxes for a total of about $9.8 million.

Any proposed change to the school formula would require approval from the other communities, Kelcourse said.

## Rumford selectmen discuss skateboarding

RUMFORD—Selectmen discussed the continuing problem with skateboarders at their Aug. 23 meeting, reporting on a near-accident between a car and skateboarder on Memorial Bridge, about skateboarders trying to climb the Municipal Building stairs, and about skateboarders on the roads and sidewalks in town.

The town needs a skateboard ramp to keep the kids off the streets, said Selectman Randy Welch.

There's only one carrier of skateboarding liability insurance "so the insurance is right off the board," according to Selectman Frank Anastasio.

Town Manager John Madigan said the town is exempt from liability for participants in recreation programs. Madigan said the park could be constructed by an outside contractor, a club formed to make the rules and administer the park and the club could pay the insurance.

Such an arrangement was being worked out last year with a group of kids interested in skateboarding, but the plans fell through, added Madigan.

The selectman decided to see if the Greater Rumford Community Center or Black Mountain would sponsor some kind of program for skateboarding.

## Public isn't buying two oil tanks, yet

AUGUSTA—Consumers are curious—but not enthusiastic—about a suggestions from a state energy official that homeowners consider purchasing a second oil tank as a hedge against rising oil prices.

Several Lewiston-Auburn oil furnance dealers contacted Aug. 28 indicated that while customers were asking questions, few were committing themselves to purchasing a second tank that could cost as much as $600, including installation.

"I got three calls today," said Paul Melanson of Paul's Oil Burner Service of Lewiston.

Claude Heutz of Heutz Oil Co. agreed saying that even though the idea of buying a second tank "has been talked up in the media, I think it's kind of senseless.

"It can cost as much as $600 to $800 to put in but only hold about 300 gallons," said Heutz. "How far is that going to get you?" He said several people have called, but no one has ordered a second tank as yet.

John Flumerfelt, director of energy policy and planning for the State Planning Office, said Aug. 28 he has received much criticism for suggesting over the weekend that homeowners may want to consider buying a second oil tank.

But Flumerfelt said the suggestion was one of several outlined for a reporter on how consumers could minimize the cost of heating their home.

"I don't think it's worth it to put in a tank simply as a hedge against what could happen in the Persian Gulf, "said Flumerfelt.

Flumerflet said consumers could save just as much money by replacing old heating equipment, weatherstripping or having oil burners tuned up to improve efficiency.

## Lisbon selectmen approve 15% tax hike

LISBON—After three motions, one resulting in a tie vote, selectmen finally agreed on the property tax rate of 19.2 mills August 28 by a vote of 3-1.

The new rate reflects an increase of nearly 15 percent over last year's per unit tax, according to the tax assessor.

The rate exceeds earlier estimates by about three mills, due to lower than anticipated revenues.

The rate represents $19.20 per thousand dollars property valuation. It will be the first tax bill to go out since the revaluation completed this spring.

Tax Assessor William Garrity explained that the town lost about a quarter million dollars in personal property tax due to the closing of Maine Electronics and voters at Town Meeting raised nearly $700,000 more in local tax dollars this year. "We're just boxed in in certain areas" he added.

Projected interest revenues are also down, as was school subsidy from the state. Berube complained that per unit, Lisbon is known as having by far the highest tax rate in the state, and was reluctant to increase the tax bite by raising money for overlay.

The total commitment this year is $5,649,589.02 to be collected through local property taxes including increases over last year of $223,897 in the municipal budget, a $280,000 increase in the school budget, and a $58,000 increase in the county tax.

Also contributing to the estimated 14.9 percent increase over last year is a $240,000 decrease in revenues, reduced interest earnings, reduced state revenue sharing, and a reduction in the amount of surplus available.

## Legion brings out the ribbons

MECHANIC FALLS—Residents of this area are being urged by the American Legion to fly the American flags and display yellow ribbons in support of events in the Middle East.

Kendall Thurlow, commander of the American Legion Post of Mechanic Falls, Minot and Poland, said that as a means of getting the activity started in the tri-town area, the Legion Post has purchased a number of yellow ribbon bows. These will be distributed without charge to people attending the Legion-sponsored bingo games here Thursday night.

"We are asking residents of Mechanic Falls, Minot and Poland to display their flags as an indication of support for the members of our Armed Forces who have been deployed to the Middle East," said Thurlow.

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# SAD #44 to assess students' K-12 health education needs

The SAD #44 School Health Education Curriculum Committee is developing a comprehensive health education program for grades K-12.

The Maine Education Reform Act of 1984 mandated that sequential health instruction be provided to all students during their kindergarten through high school years.

Ten curriculum areas were established by this Act as necessary components of a comprehensive program: Community Health; Consumer Health; Environmental Health; Family Life; Growth and Development; Nutritional Health; Personal Health (including mental and emotional health); Safety and Accident Prevention; Substance Use and Abuse (including the affects of alcohol, tobacco and narcotics).

One of the goals of the committee is to determine what the community perceives as the health needs of our students in grades K-12. All members of the community are urged to respond.

Surveys will be sent home with all students in SAD #44, as well as being available at the following locations after Sept. 4: Andover: Mills' Market, Aker's General Store, Dave's General Store; Bethel: Bethel Area Health Center, Prim's Pharmacy, Bethel Town Office; Woodstock: Village Store, Bryant Pond Town Office, Tom's Custom Meats.

The surveys should be returned by Oct. 1.

Students may bring them to the school offices, they can be deposited in boxes provided at the distribution sites or they can be mailed to: Christine Cole, District Nurse SAD #44, RFD #1, Box 1220, Bethel, Me., 04217.

# Readers fill window 'solor system' with spacecraft at Bethel Town Office

Congratulations to the 37 children who participated in the Bethel Library's Summer Reading Program.

Thanks to Arla Patch for painting a beautiful solar system on the Town Office window and to the Town Office for "lending" us this highly visible space in which to display the names of the reading program participants.

The children are: Mandy Bodwell, Lynsie Bodwell, Riley Hansen, Lauren Hansen, Joel Doyon, Ben Dohrmann, Patrick Donovan, Emmett Donovan Finnian Donovan, Kane Olson, Karl Olson, Nicholas Allen, Christopher Duplessis, Forest Duplessis, Teri Chadbourne, Matthew Lewis, Kasey Mason, Ben Vonderheide, Colin Penley, Jennifer Stevens, Tabatha Mason, Sabrina Mason, Daniel Stevens, Christopher Brooks, Julie Ludlam, Sarah Gamble, Caroline Raymond, Paige Brown, Rebecca Rotford, Joseph Rotford, David Phillips, Carrie Rolfe, Kate Nickerson, Seth Howe, Jon Howe and Erica Gundersen

# Telstar booters tackle top-notch English team

TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER TEAM. Members of the 1990 squad are: from left, first row, Luke Gray, Josh Otten, Nate Buchman, Josh Fogg, Nate Harvey. Second row, Monique Brooks, Jeff Bailey, Nathan Emery, Steve Remington, Adam Craig, Toby Parker, Chris Howe. Third row, Nate Clukey, Brian Bennett, Matt Omeara, Scott Emery, Jermiah Bolen, Bob Hand, Mike Conkright, Zack Chamberlin. Rear row, Coach Bob Remington, Bruce Korhonen, Greg Corrin, Matt Bean, Scott Higgins, Tim Chapman, Keith Ryerson, Pat Harrington. *(Photo by Dorothy Duddy)*

The Telstar High School soccer team held its own against tough international competition last week, when the Rebels took on the visiting St. Clement Danes School, from England.

The English booters, one of the top 12 school squads in their country, was in Rumford to play a series of 10-minute exhibition games against Telstar and Mountain Valley high schools and against a Rumford-Mexico area alumni team.

The Rebels didn't manage to score a goal in their three matches against the English team, but neither did either of the other two local teams. And, assistant coach Charley Raymond said, it's been a long time since any American team has.

But in their second set against the visitors, the Rebels did hang on for a 0-0 tie, a noteworthy accomplishment in its own right.

The visitors' victories were a foregone conclusion, but their coach, Graham Brown, put the one-sided matches in perspective. "It's the national game in England and that's why we do a better job," he said.

From the point of view of Telstar coach Bob Remington, the matches provided the local booters with a rare opportunity to learn by pitting their skills against those of the best.

For the past nine years, Mountain Valley coach Rich Kent has taken the Maine State All-Star team to England. Two Telstar soccer players, Scott Emery and Todd Davis, have made that trip.

# Time to schedule school athletic physicals

The time has come to have annual physicals for school athletics.

Ten years ago a quickie physical every year was common. However, recent studies by both the American Academy of Pediatrics and American Academy of Family Physicians indicate that a complete physical every five years for the healthy child over six years old is all that is necessary.

Screening physicals, recommended anytime within this five-year time period, especially if there is a health problem.

Because many athletic programs still require some type of physical exam within a year, the Bethel Area Health Center will provide a brief screening physical for our regular patients who have had a complete examination within the last two years. Completion of a questionnaire asking for a health history since that last complete physical exam is required of the parent or guardian.

A screening physical consists of a very brief examination of the child for major abnormalities and includes a blood pressure, vision test, urinalysis and a simple blood test for anemia, height, weight and tetanus booster, if necessary.

A complete physical involves all the above plus an in-depth health history covering any illnesses, allergies and injuries requiring medical attention, tetanus booster, physical/mental development, and audiometry, etc.

Parents are urged to bring all immunization records to the Bethel Area Health Center at the time of the physical.

Appointments can be made by calling the Bethel Area Health Center, 824-2193.

News from

## Woodstock School

A message from the principal.

I would like to begin with a thank you to all of the parents, students and community members who have visited the school during the last few weeks. Each of you have given a most important view of the community.

It will be important to carry on the many programs and high expectations for the Woodstock School.

I hope that members of the community will find the school a nice place to visit. Open lines of communication and frequent contact will be important to the development of our children. I encourage parents to call and visit the school with questions or comments. Children are number one at the Woodstock School.

*Francis N. Boynton*

TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL FIELD HOCKEY TEAM. Members of the 1990 squad are: from left, first row, Angie Mills, Jan Bean, Kris Delano, Jennifer Gould, Nancy Carter, Becky Hunt, Shilo Hutchins. Second row, Dawn Seames, Misty Hutchins, Amy Laban, Jennifer Bailey, Dawn Elliot, Danielle Gordon. Third row, Lynn Buckingham, Robin Michaud, Amy Hannon, Danielle Bernier, Sarah Coolidge, Kelsey Cross, Binky Gauthier. Rear row, Jane Lewis, Dawn Davis, Heather Roberts, Bridget Remington, Jan Mason, Cheri Meyer, Kathie Hutchins. *(Photo by Dorothy Duddy)*


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## Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

Last evening I sat on the lawn; the sun sank immense and round, first its low rim then the lower half; continuing until there remained a delicate golden-tinted light. It was good to sit here after the burning sun and the mowing of the lawns.

As I write this it is still August. The time of bird singing is about over. But the crickets and other fiddlers of the night were at work. Most of these are wing scratchers. They love the night and pour forth their noise with the "scratchers" used to vibrate their wings. Their resting period is when dawn is almost here. Then day breaks and they begin their tune-up again. There will be no silent evenings until the frost has come.

Suddenly coming down the pond there was the reflection of a large bird in the water; the blue heron had come for its evening meal.

I watched the muskrat work down into the soupy mud, its tail flouncing above the water. It then emerged, its fur gleaming and roots in its mouth.

The pink jewelweed hung from slender stems, small, fragile blossoms; strange flowers with a deep sac-like base and petals joined in a bell-shaped form with divided lobes. The bumble bees, those big, gold insects, are usually there humming away. They are as colorful as butterflies and although they are armed like the white faced hornet they do not go around hunting for trouble.

A blur of wings, a flash of green and a touch of ruby-red and the hummingbird, too, visited the flowers.

Although time passes and August is seeping away, our hills remain the same, as they look down this evening and the shadows crept closer.

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Jennett Holt of Windsor and Mary Holt of Norway have been visiting their grandparents, Leonas and Fay Holt, a few days this week. They came to spend some time with me. They first wanted a nature hike so we were off. Each of them had a bag to hold what they found. We came home with the bags bulging with acorns, beechnuts, rocks, flowers, sticks and other things. There were many questions and answers. It was fun all around.

My cousin, Lettie Brooks, of West Paris and I spent some time together on Wednesday. We did some shopping and had lunch.

Mrs. Miles, Windsor, was a caller at Fay Holt's on Thursday.

Dot Betts was in Portsmouth the first of the week.

Rena and Betty Curtis have been helping out at the home of Dot Curtis since her return from the hospital.

When the school bus went by my house this week I turned back time and still felt that I should be on my way to school.

Milton and Eleanor Inman were at their camp on Sunday.

## High Street West Paris

By VIVA WHITMAN

Monday morning and looks like a good one only the humidity is high and that is a killer as far as I am concerned. That causes pain when nothing else does. I shall be glad to see cooler air, soon I hope, and not so much humidity. Imagine there are others who feel the same way. As I look out the window here, the puffy white clouds in the blue sky are so pretty, it makes one wonder why there has to be so much pain in the world.

Had to go see Dr. Jealous last Monday and got a shot for my pain. It was Grange night and hated to miss it but had to. Peggy and Russell went and said the music program was great as usual. I have always enjoyed the music nights especially well.

Tuesday was Peggy's day for doing her stores and then in the evening she entertained Charlotte Cole and Helen Chase for supper and a visit. Bertha was in a minute to see Peggy and dashed in here a minute to see me also.

Felt rather sick on Wednesday so went to the doctor again and he gave me some medicine to try to help me and it sure did. I felt so rotten I was tempted to cancel the appointment, but was glad after that I didn't.

Got home to find Russell getting broccoli ready to freeze, so stood up enough to help put up the 15 bags of it.

Russell was busy in the garden most of the day Thursday but quit a little early in the afternoon as he and Peggy were planning to go to Wescustogo Grange with Bertha Benoit. She had things happen that made her later getting here than planned, so they had begun to wonder if something was wrong and started to go see when she arrived. I kept busy but no Grange for me as yet.

I've got dresses in the making for my granddaughters as well as crocheting and counted cross stitch so with the freezing and house work I can find something to do most of the time.

A call to the doctor for my back on Friday and had to get groceries and do an errand or two while in town.

I believe this was the night that Myrna and Bernard White called on Peggy for supper. From what she said I guess they enjoyed the corn from Russell's garden. Russell planted a different kind of corn this year but it is very sweet and delicious.

Friday afternoon, Russell helped me and we got the ripe cukes from the garden and got them ready for pickles. Got them cut up and all the goodies to go with them and Saturday morning I was in the pickle business. Sweet pickles made with honey instead of sugar but very tasty and good. Had a number of different sized jars but had 32 jars when done.

Peggy went to the dance at Locke Mills with Bertha as Russell didn't feel like going that evening.

Sunday was a busy day as I sewed quite a lot on my dresses and got one ready to hem and the other one on its way toward being made. Sewed on cross stitch quite a lot, also, and in the afternoon went up to see if Grace was ready for more beans to can as Russell was picking them. Visited for a short while and saw some of the lovely pictures she took on some of their weekend trips with their motor home.

Peggy had gone to Bethel to see her daughter, Loretta, and was going to call around to see if her other daughter, Kaye, was at home at Bryce's place. Don't know if she saw her or not.

Talked with Mary Lovejoy and she didn't have anything special for news. Just wishes the humidity would go away like I do.

She was telling of going to a camp on North Pond and watching the ducks that are there and how they like to be fed. Ducks are so interesting to watch when they are feeding off the bottom of a lake or something and just their rear ends show above the water.

We have had lots of hummingbirds this year and they can be ugly little devils. I was telling Mary they could and she said she had never seen them fight but as we were talking, she watched one chasing a chick-a-dee and said she had never seen the likes of it before. They are cute and fun to watch but can get very disagreeable to others around them.

Got to go get busy doing more sewing, crocheting and counted cross stitch as well as cooking and freezing of vegies. Have a good week and take care one and all.

Just a reminder that if you still need jar rubbers that Peggy is still selling some for the Grange. Give her a call.

## So. Woodstock

By OLIVE R. DAVIS

The Bryant Pond Historical Society wants to extend its thanks to those who have helped watch the Historical Museum and, also, those who have visited it this summer. Your support and interest for this worthy cause is truly appreciated.

The museum enables all to learn about the customs and the daily lives of our earlier settlers in this region and is very interesting.

The next program will be Sept. 8 when Richard Onofrio of Norway will lecture on his Appalachians hike. He will, also, show slides of the trip. People are welcome to come if they are interested.

Olive Davis and Elizabeth Young drove to Harrison and met our classmates, the 21'ers who graduated from Bridgton Academy, at Shoreland for dinner on Thursday, Aug. 23. Those who were able to be present were Gladys Knight, Helen Chute, Orpha Davis. My niece, Daphne Hoover, was our waitress, who did a marvelous job waiting on us all. I was pleased to see her. We visited awhile after dinner in our reserved room at Shoreland. Pictures were taken of the group. It was a small turnout and we miss Rose and Martha.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miclon, Alishia, Amanda and Ashley went on a camping trip with Mr. and Mrs. Warden Ellsworth at Peaks Kenny State Park, which is just beyond Dover-Foxcroft on Sebec Lake. They were gone three days. While there they went canoeing and hiking. Jim and the three girls had a fishing contest. Amanda won it by catching seven fish. Ashley came in second by catching two fish.

Alishia, Amanda and Ashley Miclon stayed overnight with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Miclon, at Buckfield. The girls went swimming in their pool and a cookout was enjoyed.

Kris Miclon and Kelly Hart held a joint yard sale, Saturday, near Route 26.

Esther Davis went to Lewiston Friday to see her sister Emily Pike, who is a patient there. Saturday Esther was in Livermore Falls to her brother's, Arthur Brown's, adopted son's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews spent Sunday with their aunt, Olive Davis.

Esther and Olive Davis were in Bridgton Tuesday. They had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews. Then they took us to Fryeburg to see Dr. Goldenhar. After that we went to Conway grocery shopping before coming home.

Olive Risko and Peggy Blake called on me Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Clements were in Bayside to visit her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Thompson, at their cottage. Saturday they went to the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Curtis at Farmington. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis formerly lived in West Paris.

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## West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

The West Paris Universalist Church will hold its first service for this season on Sunday, Sept. 16 at 10 a.m. The Rev. Don Rollins will lead the service. Everyone is welcome to attend and join the fellowship during the coffee hour following the service.

## Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Mrs. Saundy Cohen and Marcie Tupper were supper guests of Norma Salway Sunday evening after all spent the afternoon readying their classroom.

Mrs. Phyllis Bancroft has learned her grandson, Greg Halle of Lisbon Falls, has suffered a broken leg in a soccer scrimmage.

Mr. Jocelyn Heath and two boys visited her grandmother, Mrs. Christine Kimball, Tuesday.

On Sunday Christine attended a birthday party for Mrs. Josephine Stanton honoring her 85th birthday in North Waterford. Christine also visited Mrs. Lillian Herrick and they enjoyed supper out in Harrison.

## Bethel

By VIRGINIA WALKER

Maxine C. Brown moved from her home on Tyler Street early in August to the Home for Creative Living, 33 Deering St., Norway. She has had a fall while walking one day that caused a small fracture in her left wrist. She would appreciate visits and cards from her many friends.

## Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

At the special Parish meeting of the Universalist Church of Bryant Pond, Evelyn T. Bean was elected moderator; Juanita Allen was elected clerk; treasurer, Anne Crockett; financial secretary, Kathleen McAllister. Discussion was on reopening the church for services and voted to open Sunday, Sept. 9 with a 9 a.m. worship service. Also discussed was the name of the church and decided it should still remain the same since named in 1852. Decided to have a potluck supper once a month, also discussion hour and coffee following the service. This will be in charge of Kathleen McAllister. Rev. Earle McKinney, Rev. Donald Hinckley, Dr. Rev. Herbert Adams and Rev. Herbert Weeks will be serving as the ministers of the church till after the Christmas services, when the church will close for the winter months and reopen on Palm Sunday. All are welcome to attend at any time.

The Historical Society has a good collection of magazines on pertinent topics out for browsing now. Also the museum research books might prove helpful to you. For the Sept. 8 meeting the program is Richard Onofrio of Norway who will give a slide lecture on the Appalachian Trail. He has hiked over the whole trail. The Society has many things still for sale at the museum and at meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredick Barker of South Yarmouth, Mass. have been guests at the home of Evelyn T. Bean. Also P.G.C. Lois Pay and husband, Paul, of Somersworth, N.H. were guests this past week.

Verna Swan and Clara Whitman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordan Watts of Oakland.

Daughters of Union Veterans, Judith Grover Tent #17, will meet on Monday, Sept. 10, with a tasting party.

Beatrice Farnum and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hoyt, James and Joseph Hoyt joined a potluck supper at Mr. and Mrs. John Chase' on Sunday to celebrate Althea and Bobby Stevens 14th anniversary. Others attending were Crystal Chase; Keith, Jenny and Danny Stevens; Mr. and Mrs. David Crockett, Ray and Shawn; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens; and Helen Chase.

Tuesday Althea, Keith, Jenny and Danny Stevens; Crystal Chase; Alice Hoyt; and Ray and Shawn Crockett were dinner guests of Beatrice Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Estes. One day this week they visited Phyllis Jordan and Olive Elliot and Thursday Debbie and Brian Millett called on them.

Woodstock Senior Citizens meet on Thursday, Sept. 6, at the Grange Hall. Dinner will be put on by the Grange and the program is by Hershell Abbott.

## East Bethel

By NANCY H. MERCER

The East Bethel Church held its last service for the summer on Aug. 26. The Rev. Norman Rust gave the sermon. There were over 20 people present. There will be a service on Sept. 9 at the Middle Intervale Meeting House at 2 p.m.

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting on Aug. 24 with 10 members present and four visitors. Worthy Deputies Lewis and Myrtle Bisbee of Oxford; Worthy Deputy Connie Tutlis of New Century; and Althea Fish of Mt. Sugarloaf Grange were the visitors.

Ruby Coolidge attended the Hart reunion on Aug. 26 held at Alan and Susie Buckman's on Bird Hill. There were 65 people present. They came from Berlin, Groveton, Dummer, Campton, Lancaster and Littleton, N.H. and Bethel, Bryant Pond and West Paris. This was the first reunion held by the Hart family and they hope to have more.

On Aug. 24 and 25 there was a four family yard sale at the Harrington homestead.

On Aug. 26 Chester and Arlene Harrington held their annual corn feed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Taylor and Brandon from Lisbon Falls; Mrs. Carl Hallman with Heather and Whitney from Durham; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fuller from Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wardwell with Meghan from Poland; Lynn Boschetti from Bethel; Dot Bean; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bean with Staci and Jennifer from Bethel; Deanna Dube from Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crockett with Jason from Bethel; and Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith with Sean and Dirk from Bucksport.

A correction on Oxford degree work: There was a total of 125 people present with only 33 taking the four degrees.

## Newry

By GIL SEELEY

Karen Green and Ray Beauchaine of Rhode Island were at my place Saturday, Aug. 25, on their way through the mountains, Karen is my sister's sister-in-law's daughter...(relationship problems?).

The call to worship was made by Pastor Rodney Hanscom Aug. 26 at the Newry Community Church with daughter Nancy at the organ. The message for the day was "The Lord is my Shepherd," with Scripture readings: Zacheriah 14:20-21, Philippians 4:4-7, and St. John 10:1-10.

"Sept. 9 is Grandparents Day...What is a grandparent? A grandparent is a combination of work worn hands, after a life of toil, a loving heart, and endless stories of the days when the family was young. A grandparent wears old age with dignity and composure...You don't notice what they wear, you only see love and tenderness in their face as they fondle their grandchild...Grandparents give the impression of being all wisdom and love in the world...God has a special place for them in Heaven and when they go there, they will be smiling down, and on their lap will be one of God's little angels...The one that reminds them of you..."

Louise Tetley and I took a ride to visit with Fred Judkins and Marian one day last week to say hello and goodbye as they are leaving soon for Florida, I guess Fred found someone to drive them. We wish them a good winter.

"Is rabbit season open yet?" My cat thinks so, she came in with one 12 inches long Saturday night.

Gretchen Wight, daughter of Bill and Sylvia Wight of Newry, was a guest of honor for the second time at their home recently. The event was planned by Dianne O'Kelly, her matron of honor of Portland, and Marlene and Jan Wight of Old Town. About 30 people attended. She received many gifts and good wishes. She will be married in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell returned home Thursday, Aug. 23, after spending three months in Alaska. Sunday visitors at their home were Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Moore of Merritts Island, Fla. and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell, Jr. and Danny of Bethel.

The Littlehale Family Reunion (the 70th) was held Aug. 19 at the home of Willard and Sylvia Wight recently. About 50 members attended.

The Newry ladies who went bowling at the Oxford Lanes, Rumford, were Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Louise Tetley, Bea Lowell, Olive Anderson, Julie Littlefield and Gil Seeley. Betsy was high on the triples again and Karlene was high on the singles with one string of 104. Betsy also had a string of 101. Betsy gets to keep the prize again, and Julie got the consolation prize. All went to lunch and did some shopping.

Yours truly had a delicious cookout Sunday noon at Sylvia and Bill Wight's. Just the three of us, Bill cooked the hamburgs and Sylvia took care of the potato salad, steamed zucchini and string beans, sweet corn and tomatoes from the garden, topped off with ice cream and strawberries and iced tea.

Guests of June and Lee Swan have been Jim and Polly Browne, Missionaries on leave, living in Michigan.

Lee and June Swan have become great-grandparents of David Logan Bailey, son of Kristal Bailey of Chelsea, Vt.

Alison Black of Barre, Vt. has returned home after visiting her mother, Janis Black, and grandparents, Lee and June Swan.

Jim and Polly Browne, Lee and June Swan and Janis Black spent the weekend in Vermont visiting family members.

Freda Robertson wants to inform residents and former residents that the quilt is in progress and if you want your family name on a square you must hurry and get your $1 and choice of name or names to June Swan, HC 61, Box 78, Newry, Me., 04261, as soon as possible. The quilt will be hung, under glass, at the Newry Town Office for all to see.

## Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

The big news for us Backstreeters is the mail delivery service. After years of waiting including nearly one year when it seemed imminent we had a one day notice that left most of us without a readied mail box. Ours has been up, but not in the right place, so with others we've scurried to get lined up.

Pam Merchant was tendered a surprise birthday party by her husband, Dean, Sunday evening. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodrum, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Angevine, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bernier, Joseph Bergeron and briefly, as she was called in early to work, Laurie French.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Wells of Ohio have been vacationing at their home here on the corner of Mill and Main street. They called on us this week and we enjoyed our annual visit.

Ray Bernier is home for a week which will include the holiday.

Margaret Mitchell is spending the holiday weekend with her relatives in the Sebago Lake area. She will celebrate her birthday with a party tendered by Richard and Jackie Donovan.

Tex Fogwell and Margaret attended the Trappers Weekend. Tex took his falcons for "show and tell" as he gave an impromtu program by request of the program director.

The Planning Board met Monday night. Dr. Halpren's application for permit for building on East B Hill Road was approved. Others were discussed and tabled.

Walt Lumbard and Waldo Butterfield of New Hampshire spent a few days in camp.

## At Andover...

**Elderwood Manor Items**

*by Florence Hall*

Callers of Gertrude Hutchins, Aug. 28, to wish her a happy birthday were Nancy Wardwell, Robert and Sharon Hutchins, Lucy Backer, Erin Walker, Leatrice Myshrall, Elizabeth Sennett, Florence Hall, Anne Fox and Flora Whitten.

Lila Farrington and Elsie Warton of Rumford called on Elizabeth Sennett.

Catherine McGuire was discharged from the Rumford Hospital and is at her daughter's, Elaine Gaudet, for a few days.

Judy and Louis Hall of Roxbury called on Gertrude Hutchins and Florence Hall Wednesday evening.

Elizabeth Sennett went on the bus to Rumford on Wednesday.

Alfred Marston of Portland and daughter, Tiffanie, of South Paris visited aunt Florence Hall on Sunday.

*Thought of the day: Good deeds are Certificates of Deposit invested in our future, when the Book of Life is balanced.*

**Calvary Congregational Church**

Guest speaker today was Rev. Albert Troaster from Rockland. The morning message: "Events are shaping up for Christ's return," II Peter, Chapter 3. The word of God declares this truth.

Special music: "One Day." Rev. Troaster played on a handsaw using a bow, which he is well known for, accompanied by Edna White on piano. Mrs. Troaster taught junior church today.

Rally Day coming up soon, when we will have "family day," a special time for all ages, beginning a new year in Sunday School.

Missionary Conference, Oct. 21-23, with Jerry Matson of Norfolk, Va.

## North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

Saturday, Aug. 25, we had a good crowd at our supper at the North Paris Community Hall. Many thanks to everyone that helped make it a success.

Sunday, Aug. 26, I went to a meeting at the North Woodstock Community Club at the chapel. There were 12 people there. It looks so nice inside. Officers were elected for the coming year. Hershel Abbott was elected president; Eddie Gammon was elected vice president; Norma Davis was elected treasurer; and Doris Lawrence, secretary. Then I visited a little while with Mildred Poulin. She wasn't feeling very well. Could have been the hot weather.

Tuesday, Aug. 28, I visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card and Gertrude Birney at Market Square Nursing Home.

Wednesday, Aug. 29, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lacroix took me to the Chef's Table to dinner. They were on vacation and had been visiting Roger's parents at Underhill, Vt.

Thursday, Aug. 30, Jason Thayer came for a visit and we went and got some spring water and I had a five dollar gas certificate so got gas. Then we visited Ruby Wing and Richard and Barbara Felt, then I took him home to Greenwood City. We visited Norman and Jeanne Millett.

Callers have been Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heath, Jr., Amanda and Jeremy; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher, Fannie Whitten; and Sherry Thayer and Jason.

Mrs. Harlan Abbott is a surgical patient at Saint Mary's Hospital in Lewiston.

Hope everyone had a safe and happy weekend.


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4-H Cake Auction, Monday
Miss Oxford County Fair Pageant, Monday
Pulling Cattle-2800 lb.-6ft. elimination &
3200 lb.-6ft elimination, Tuesday
Draft Pony Driving Competition Show, Tuesday
4-H Horse Show, Wednesday
4-Wheel Drive - 3 Classes, Wednesday
Oxen Sweepstakes, Wednesday
Political Pull, Wednesday
Pig Scramble (8 & 9 years), Thursday
Miss Blue Jeans & Mrs. Blue Jeans, Thursday
Lip Sync Contest, Thursday
4-H Market Lamb Sale, Friday
4-H Beef Sale, Friday
Tractor Pulling - Farm Tractors, Saturday
4-H Dairy Show, Saturday
4-H Sheep Show, Saturday
Finnish Dancers, Saturday
Ballon Zoo, Saturday
Barbershop Quartet, Saturday

## Hungry Hollow

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and Robert were born and raised.

The orchard provided them with more apples than they could sell, so they brainstormed on ways in which the apples could be used in homemade foods. The same process took place when they began growing vegetables.

"First we have the vegetables, and then we think how can we use them," Mrs. Damm says. Of course most are still sold garden-fresh.

The produce part of the country store business has now grown so big that it has been turned over to son Brett and daughter-in-law Edie, who bring in additional vegetables from their own fields in Hebron.

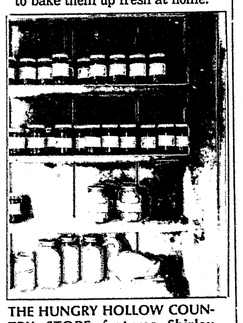
Also assisting in the operation are Dotty Tibbetts, of Paris Hill, Denise Alivero, of Hebron, and Daniella Westleigh, of West Paris.

Mrs. Damm says she is considering hiring more help in order to expand the operation further, but is afraid of losing the small store atmosphere. One other idea is to expand the kitchen and hire someone to help make bread. Two of her helpers already assist with the pie-making.

One new aspect of the business is plants and flowers, particularly perennials. It started with Mr. Damm constructing the greenhouses and is now one of the mainstays of Hungry Hollow's offerings. Likewise the crafts, which are produced by local craftspeople as well as by craftspeople statewide who belong to the United Maine Craftsmen.

The customers who drop in at the store are mostly from the Oxford Hills, but Mrs. Damm says business increases noticeably when the summer visitors are around and when the winter skiers are passing through. The occasional visitor who stops once usually stops again on each subsequent trip. "They're like old friends," Mrs. Damm says of her tourist trade.

The store is open seven days a week, but Mrs. Damm says she does not bake on Sundays. But there are always a number of pies that are kept frozen for those who want to bake them up fresh at home.



THE HUNGRY HOLLOW COUNTRY STORE features Shirley Damm's homemade jams and jellies, as well as her sauerkraut, relish, applesauce and apple butter.

## Withdrawal

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Selectman Jim Sysko, noting the loss of extra-curricular activities, sports and friendships, said he was "not really jumping into this with both feet."

Aloisio commented that people should consider that Newry would be "severing all ties and loyalties to SAD #44."

The main steps for withdrawal started with the petition, which mandated selectmen hold a public hearing and go to a referendum vote on whether people wish to initiate the withdrawal process. A positive vote would have selectmen write a letter to the Education Commissioner outlining the reasons for considering withdrawal and the notification of SAD #44 of Newry's intentions.

The commissioner would then direct the town to set up a committee composed of one selectman, one municipal officer, one petition supporter and a member of the general public. The committee would then have 90 days to formulate a plan, the commissioner would then either accept the plan or suggest modifications, if changes are suggested, then another public hearing would be held to discuss them.

Following resubmission of the plan another public hearing to explain the plan and a final referendum ballot asking if Newry should withdraw from the district. This would require a 2/3 majority of the town's voters.

Selectman Steve Wight said confusion exists over the final voting. The matter of Newry's withdrawal is solely up to the town of Newry and the Educational Commissioner and the rest of the district has no say, according to Wight.

Wight also said that, as yet, there is no ballpark figure as to what it may cost Newry to educate its students after the possible withdrawal.

The earliest Newry could get out of the district could be at the end of the present school year according to Selectman Sysko. "If everything went smoothly we could have all the paper work on approval done in six months," he said.

Sysko emphasized that this would be the timeframe, assuming no unforeseen problems arise. The final vote could be as early as the regular March Town Meeting. If problems do arise then Newry would have to wait for withdrawal until June 1992, because withdrawal must occur at the end of the fiscal school year.

If Newry does withdraw it will owe approximately $300,000 to SAD #44 for debt incurred with the building of the Woodstock School. It would also be responsible for the Crescent Park School expansion if its funding went through before withdrawal.

Still, the district may feel a significant shortfall if Newry withdraws.

Deputy Commissioner of Education Richard Card, who met with the selectmen in May, said after reviewing the figures, "As I look at the financial picture, Newry contributes approximately $729,000 (to the district). If Newry (withdraws), the district will lose that money."

However, he said Newry could elect to have its students tuitioned back to the district—up to two years, by state law—earning the district between $150,000 and $160,000. Also, the district would pick-up from the state between $25,000 and $30,000. That would leave the district shortfall at about a half million dollars, Card said.

He also said that though, by law, SAD #44 would be required to take Newry's tuition students for the first two years after withdrawal. After that the district could refuse to accept them.

If the town does withdraw, any construction of school facilities would not be considered for funding by the state for five years. The town could build its own facilities but they would have to meet state regulations. Newry is entitled under state law to part of the assets of the district upon withdrawal, such as desks and equipment purchased jointly, according to Wight.

Aloisio said voters should either formulate their own plan for students or get behind SAD #44 completely, putting this issue to rest.

## SAD #44 town-by-town comparison

| | tax rate mills | 1990 assessment to SAD 44 | % of SAD 44's Budget | # of students to district | % of *total students in district | Approx. cost per pupil | % of towns budget schooling |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andover | 16 | $367,181 | 13 | 163 | 17 | $2,252 | 68 |
| Bethel | 13.5 | 1,070,748 | 46 | 389 | 40 | 2,752 | 49 |
| Greenwood | 12 | 400,260 | 13 | 149 | 15 | 2,686 | 62 |
| Newry | 11.8 | 729,377 | 24 | 52 | 5 | 14,026 | 64 |
| Woodstock | 18.9 | 396,596 | 14 | 225 | 24 | 1,762 | 41 |

*Figure for # of students as of 6/90

## Bethel tax

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percent for 1991.

The school appropriation is $1,070,748 for 1991, up from $769,866 in 1990. The school appropriation for 1989 was $673,683.

The county tax for 1991 is $83,119, up from $57,318 in 1990. The county tax for 1989 was $42,822.

The town's local valuation for 1991 is $125,666,900, a two percent increase over 1990, Brown said. He noted that the state's projected 1991 valuation for Bethel, which is assessed on a two year lag time, is $129,450,000.

Brown said Bethel is being assessed locally at as close to 100 percent valuation as is possible and that he doesn't understand the $4 million difference between the local and the state valuation.

State valuation of Bethel for 1990 was $116,250,000 and for 1989 was $69,900,000.

The school funding formula and the county tax assessment is based on the state valuation.

Brown said the 1991 tax bills will be sent out by the end of the week. "This is the earliest they've gone out in my 16 years of doing tax bills," Brown said. Last year, he said, the bills weren't sent out until December.

Brown attributed the timely billing this year to "burning the midnight oil," and to receiving all the tax information on time from the town's contract appraiser and pickup person.

Brown said tax payments are due, half by Nov. 15, 1990 and half by May 15, 1991. He said a reminder would be sent out for the second due date.

Brown said the bills can be paid in partial payments, in whatever increments people want. Some people, he said, pay their taxes as a monthly bill.

Also, Brown said he urges people to consider filling out a 1990 Maine Residents Property Tax Program application. The program provides property tax relief for qualified homeowners or renters who live in Maine.

The application booklet lists eligibility requirements for either the General Property Tax or Rent Refund or the Elderly Householders Tax or Rent Refund. Households with incomes up to $60,000 in 1989, whose property tax is more than 4.5 percent of their income or whose rent is more than 30 percent of their income may qualify.

For more information, call Brown at the Town Office or call toll-free 1-800-452-1983 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

# Meetings scheduled to discuss Lake Umbagog refuge proposal

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has scheduled meetings in Errol, Berlin and Concord, N.H., to discuss its proposal to establish a national wildlife refuge at Lake Umbagog.

The meeting will enable local residents to ask questions, provide comments and raise issues that need to be addressed during the development of the project.

Meetings will be held at the following locations:

Errol, N.H., Town Hall, 7-9 p.m., Sept. 7; Berlin, N.H., City Hall Auditorium, 168 Main St., 7-9 p.m., Sept. 14; Concord, N.H., New Hampshire Fish and Game Department, 2 Hazen Dr., 7-9 p.m., Sept. 20.

The Fish and Wildlife Service is developing the proposal with the James River and Boise Cascade Corporations, which together own the majority of the lands around the lake, the States of New Hampshire and Maine, and several private conservation organizations.

# Stephens Memorial Hospital business office to move Sept. 7

As of 8 a.m. on Friday, Sept. 7, the business office at Stephens Memorial Hospital will be open for business in a new building adjacent to the hospital.

The business office will be located across the parking lot, through the blue door in the new modular building which is opposite the Emergency Department.

Hospital officals said that, in its new location, patients will be able to complete their business more quickly, conveniently and privately. The new building is more easily accessible, with the parking lot just outside its doors.

"We hope that this move will make it easier for our patients who wish to discuss their bills or make payments to do so without having to come into the hospital," said Ann Stengelsen, manager of the business office. "We will also be able to provide a more private setting in which patients may discuss financial matters related to their bills.

"In moving the business office to a new location," Stengelsen added, " Stephens Memorial Hospital is taking the first steps necessary to expand and improve facilities for patient care needs of the community. Over the next year, several departments within the hospital will be remodeled and relocated, so that the expansion of services can be provided."


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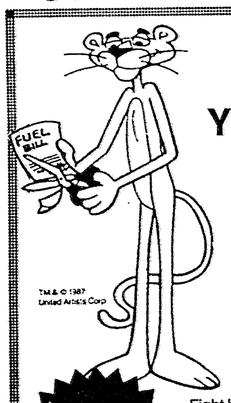


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OH, NO, NOT BACK TO SCHOOL!—Crescent Park School 2nd grader Darcie Buker mugs a reaction to school—then turned happily to listen to a story read by teacher Meg Cousins.

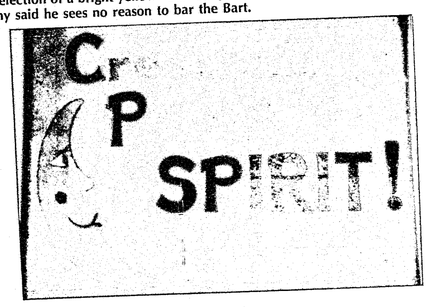
FREE EXPRESSION, EVEN FOR BART—CPS 3rd graders model some of this year's hot school fashions. Lacie Hebert, front right, shows school spirit with her choice of a basic blue CPS T-shirt; while classmate Jennifer Walker makes a more daring fashion statement with her selection of a bright yellow "Bart Simpson" T-shirt. Unthreatened by the children's free expression, Principal Murphy said he sees no reason to bar the Bart.

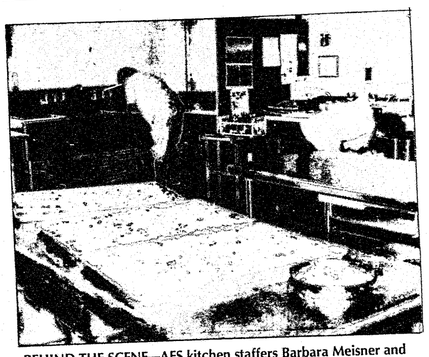
*SAD #44*

# *Back in school*

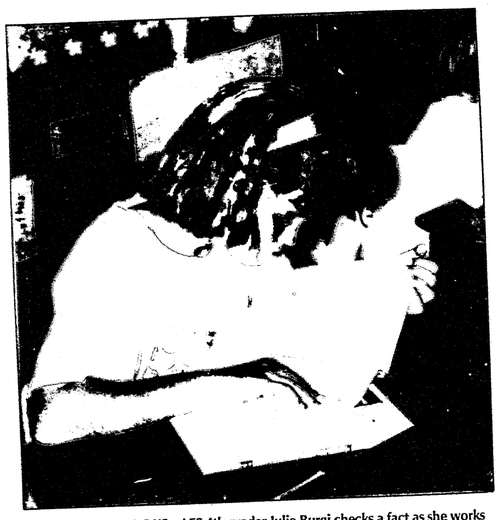
SKEINS OF PIGSKINS—The footballs await as elementary phys-ed teacher Barb Dunham drills 3rd graders at the Andover Elementary School.

PUZZLES AND MILK—Woodstock 2nd graders Caitlin Gallager, left, and Heather Jordan puzzle out the details of a landscape, while two male classmates prepare for a healthful snack break.

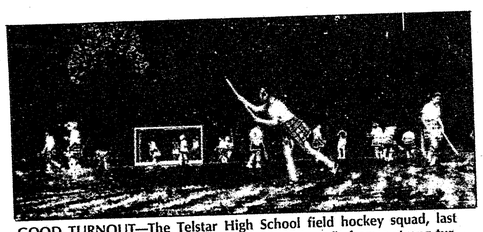


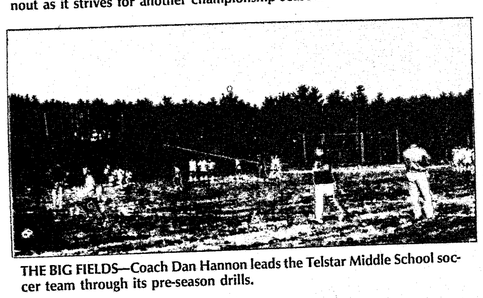
BEHIND THE SCENE—AES kitchen staffers Barbara Meisner and Bev Swan prepare to serve their young customers an all-time favorite school lunch—pizza.



HITTING THE BOOKS—AES 4th-grader Julie Burgi checks a fact as she works on a "time-capsule" exercise.



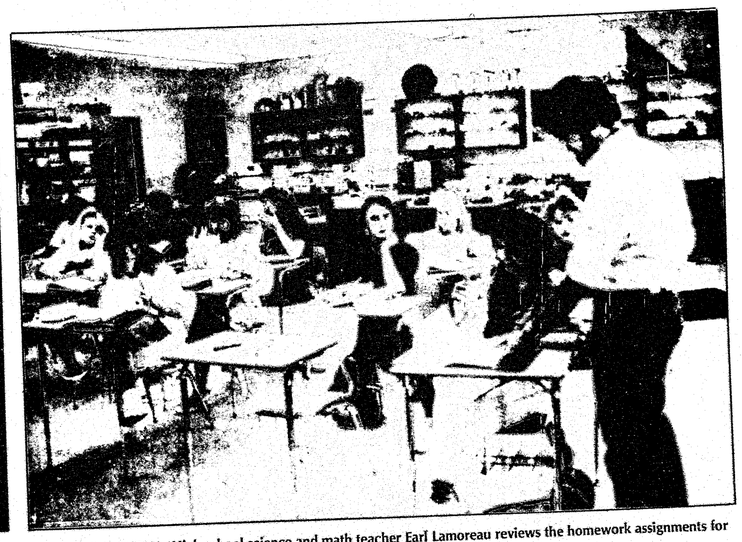
GOOD TURNOUT—The Telstar High School field hockey squad, last season's Western Maine Class C champs, will benefit from a strong turnout as it strives for another championship season.



THE BIG FIELDS—Coach Dan Hannon leads the Telstar Middle School soccer team through its pre-season drills.

NEW, SNACK TIME FRIENDS

FROGS AND PRINCESSES—Art teacher Ed Stevens uses an age-old tale to capture the imagination of Woodstock kindergarteners.



RELATIVITY CHECK—High school science and math teacher Earl Lamoreau reviews the homework assignments for his junior-senior physics class.

MISTY MORNING—Warm water and chilly nights last week produced an ethereal morning mist on Round Pond in Locke Mills last week. *(Photo by Michael Daniels)*

## Soviets to be at Common Ground Fair

Zdravstvuyte. (That's hello in Russian).

The Common Ground Country Fair will have an international flavor this year. Twelve Soviet citizens, eight young people and four adults, will participate in the Maine Organic Farmers and Gardeners Association's Common Ground Country Fair all three days, Sept. 21-23.

Last April several members of the Wednesday Spinners, a group of people who demonstrate each year at the fair, traveled to Moscow to revive the art of wool spinning in the Soviet Union. As an extension of that exchange members of Family Works, a Soviet cooperative, are spending time in the U.S., mostly in Maine, learning about American culture.

As special participants, the Family Works members will demonstrate their newly acquired skills in spinning and weaving, sell their handmade craft items, and present traditional dances, music and songs.

The fair is looking for teen volunteers to be "buddies" who will team up with each individual. Buddies will spend time together exploring the fairgrounds, staffing the booth, talking with other fairgoers, and exchanging information about their interests.

On Sunday morning Soviet and American teens will participate in a round table discussion about life and work in each culture.

Volunteers who speak Russian will be especially helpful this year. Anyone interested in volunteering, teen, Russian-speaking, or other, should contact the Common Ground Country Fair at 623-5115.

## Bethel UM Women to meet on Sept. 7

The Bethel United Methodist Women will meet Friday, Sept. 7 at noon in the church dining room for a potluck luncheon.

Hostesses are Verna Dyke and Sylvia Clanton.

## Skating club registration set for Sept. 15 in Berlin

The White Mountain Skating Club (WMSC) will hold registration for its fall figure skating classes on Sept. 15 from 12-4 p.m. at Notre Dame Arena, Berlin, N.H.

All skaters, ages three to adult, are welcome. There is a $25 registration fee which will be applied to the cost of lessons. A parent or guardian must accompany skaters under the age of 18 years.

During this, the first of three, six-week sessions, WMSC will offer professionally taught skating lessons for beginners through advanced levels. Also available are lessons designed specifically to benefit the beginning hockey player.

Questions regarding this program or registration may be answered by calling Cathie O'Neil, 603-752-6567, or Sheila Bigelow, 603-466-2875.

# Richard Kimball reunion held Aug. 19 in Bethel

Beautiful weather brought about 50 enthusiastic Maine Kimballs (including others with Maine ancestry from New Hampshire, Massachusetts and New Mexico) to the Dr. Moses Mason House on Sunday, Aug. 19 for their annual Maine reunion.

Registered by Kenneth Larrabee and assisted by Jim Kimball, all enjoyed refreshments provided by area Kimballs, while visiting with each other and sharing family history.

Serving were Sarah Stevens and Barbara Honkala of Bethel.

Co-Chairman of the National Genealogy Committee, George Kimball of Kittery, answered questions of many during the morning, while others spent time examining items brought by those attending, for the afternoon auction (proceeds to help cover reunion expenses) as well as exhibits of antique toys several brought.

Stanley R. Howe, Director of the Bethel Historical Society and the Dr. Moses Mason House (and a Kimball descendant) introduced at the afternoon program the master of ceremonies, Albert H. Kimball of Warwick, Mass.

The National Kimball Family Association officers in attendance were, past president Robert Webster of Hampstead, N.H. and wife Ruth; Grace Kimball, historian, from Natick, Mass.; and George H. Kimball, co-chairman of Genealogy Committee, of Kittery.

A door prize of a basket of homemade jellies and honey (donated by the Albert Kimballs) was drawn by Henry Perry of North Waterford. Receiving a gift as the oldest present was Celia K. Gorman of Bethel, age 86. Also, Rosie Clark received gifts for coming the longest distance (from La Cruces, N.M.) and for being the youngest present.

The auction conducted by Albert Kimball proved lively. A short business meeting was held with unanimous vote to hold the 1991 reunion again in Bethel.

A surprise in the program was the presentation by past president Robert Webster of the new Volume 1 of the Kimball Family History, written by Genealogy Co-Chairman, Judith Kimball, and researched by her husband, Col. George H. Kimball, to Elizabeth Mason Carter, Association founder, from the National Kimball Association "for her many years of devotion to the organization (1986-present)."

Stanley Howe introduced Liane Chapman of Portland, owner of Flights of Fancy Antiques, whose ancesters came from Grafton and Woodstock. She spoke on antique toys, showing slides and examples from her own collection.

The reunion concluded with all singing the Kimball song, written in 1970 for the National Association by Mildred Kimball Whitaker of Reading, Vt.

Others assisting Elizabeth Mason Carter and Stanley R. Howe in planning this reunion were: Mary F. Champe of Rumford Center; Donna Folsom of Bethel; Mrs. Ray Jewell of North Waterford; Mrs. Kenneth Larrabee of Yarmouth; Stuart Martin of Rumford Point; and the Albert H. Kimballs of Warwick, Mass. (who contributed many of their handcrafts for the auction). Also contributing many personal handcrafts was Carrie Wason who came from Raymond, N.H.

# Bates lecturer to dicuss safety and hazardous waste disposal

Is there a safe way to dispose of hazardous waste?

That question, one of the key environmental issues facing the United States, will be addressed by noted hydrogeologist Ralph C. Heath in a lecture Friday, Sept. 7, at Bates College.

Heath's talk on "Hydrogeology and Hazardous Waste Disposal" is scheduled for 7 p.m. in Room 204 of Carnegie Science Hall, Campus Avenue. The public is invited to attend at no charge.

A veteran of 34 years with the U.S. Geological Survey, Heath currently is a self-employed consulting hydrogeologist and a lecturer at Duke University in Durham, N.C. He is an authority on underground waste disposal and the use of natural hydrogeologic features to prevent the pollution of groundwater near disposal sites.

Heath is the 1990 Henry Darcy Distinguished Lecturer of Association of Ground Water Scientists and Engineers. He will deliver the keynote address at the organization's annual national meeting later this month in Anaheim, Calif.

His visit to Bates is sponsored by the college's Department of Geology.

## Rotary Club notes

The highlight of the Aug. 28 meeting was a presentation by two members of the Telstar F.A.C.T., Heidi Moore and Amy Hannon.

Guests of Dan Hart, the young women talked about the organizational structure and purpose of F.A.C.T.

The purpose has been to welcome the new freshman and to provide a multi-day workshop to deal with issues such as sexuality, career choices and getting along with peers. They did a great job explaining what it's all about.

Rotary also welcomed several guests from the International Work Camp. Leader Mike Cooper of Bethel has been supervising these young people in working on the extension of the Applachian Trail. These guests were from West Germany, France, England, Chicago, Ill. and Wisconsin.

Mike Wigley gave Rotary information on the service industry and how it is growing as a world employer. These workers are largely underpaid and are not held in high esteem but in fact are very important to economic balance of our country and the world.

President Scott Dennis presided over the meeting.

## Jackson-Silver Auxiliary

Sept. 6 is the date for our next meeting, the first of the new season. As usual, the time is 7 p.m.

We encourage all members to attend as it is the time when we try to plan the programs for the coming year as much as possible. We need everyone's input and ideas so that we can plan a really good year of service to our communities and nation.

On Aug. 16 we held our annual family picnic with the Post. A possibility of rain and dark clouds forced us to move from the picnic area on Route 26 in Locke Mills to the grounds outside our Hall. The rain held off and we enjoyed a really delicious meal. The hamburgers with onions and the hotdogs were grilled by Ruth and Charlie Mason while Leah Deegan did her usual good job with the corn on the cob and the dessert of blueberry cake with whipped cream. Several members had brought baked beans and salads. It was nice to get together this one relaxing time midst all our other busy summer activities. We only wish that more had been able to attend.

From the Bethel Area

## Chamber of Commerce

With the summer season coming to an end Chamber members are beginning to prepare for fall and winter promotions.

The retailers will be meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 5, at the Casco Bank at 7:30 a.m. to discuss these seasonal programs.

We would like to wrap up the planning and ad selling stage of our four-season brochure.

The Bethel Citizen is typesetting the editorial content and the Lewiston Sun will be printing it.

The booklet will be similar to last year's, with a four-color cover and updated contents. We distribute 20,000 of these each year, all over the country and some overseas. If a member still would like to take an ad and has failed to be in touch with the office, please do so by this Friday.

Our Big I Committee is busy collecting brochures and printed material from businesses in the area to distribute at this 12-day show in West Springfield, Mass. Please bring your give-a-ways to the Chamber office by Sept. 10.

Welcome to our newest members, The Farwell House Bed and Breakfast, Bethel, Barb and Mike Brown owners; new owners of the Norseman Inn, Bethel, John and Dale Cheney; and associate member Nathan Seckinger, pastor at the Bethel Alliance Church.

## County Republicans to meet Sept. 11 at Stoneham Town Office

The Oxford County Republican Committee will hold its September meeting in Stoneham for the first time in recent years. The Committee hopes all members and their guests will attend the meeting at the Stoneham Town Office and Fire Station, located at Route 5 and Butters Hill Road.

The public is cordially invited to attend and hear about campaigns and issues concerning the November ballot.

The date is Tuesday, Sept. 11, with a social hour beginning at 6 p.m. and a potluck supper at 7 p.m.

All local and county Republican candidates will be guests at the meeting. Anyone needing more information call 928-2324.

## West Paris Grange hosts Oxford Pomona

Pink Sash Night was observed when West Paris Grange hosted Oxford Pomona in August. A supper preceeded the meeting.

Serving as officers were Clarence Crocker, Lewis Bisbee, Bunny Easler, Richard Sorenson, Gordon Gartley, Clara Gartley, Aevella Holbrook, Donald Holbrook, Hazel Conant, Wyane sherman, Sylvia Sorenson, Myrtle Bisbee, Linda Sherman, Francis Conant, Elmer Timberlake, Harry Boyer, Connie Tutlis, Ruby Whitney, Vera Timberlake and Dot Canwell.

All deputies, committee members, honor lecturers and Demeter Club officers were welcomed.

William Herrick was reinstated as a member of Pomona. An application for degrees was received from Maria Herrick.

Reports of the Legislative C.W.A. and Deaf Activities Committees were given. Winners of the C.W.A. cookie bake-off were Jan Scribner, Terry Bisbee and Esther Crooker.

Peggy Blake gave a report of the Scholarship Committee. This committee will be selling two-year planners for the benefit of the scholarship fund.

The chaplain announced the death of Vernon Redding and a moment of silent prayer was held in his memory.

Richard Felt was elected master and Bertha Benoit as lecturer.

A variety program was presented with the address of welcome by Clarence Crooker and response by Richard Felt.

Skits were presented by Harry Boyer and Loretta Hall and by Bunny Easler and Richard Sorenson.

Clyde Whitney gave a reading, "The Burglar."

Gordon Gartley played saxophone solos accompanied by Dot Canwell at the piano. Dot Canwell whistled, Althea Fish played piano solos and there were selections by the Grange Harry Boyer sang solos.

Several visiting dignitaries spoke.

Sister Olive Davis was presented with the Grange Award for Public Service by Richard Felt. She also received a corsage.

Happy birthday was sung to Dot Canwell and Walter Bragg.

Mystery packages were won by Marion York, Walter Bragg and Clyde Whitney.

There were 73 in attendance with Aziscoos winning the banner.

Next meeting will be installation of officers and will be hosted by Pleasant Pond Grange, West Sumner with a 6:30 supper.

## Defense Realignment Task Force sets first meeting for Sept. 11

Richard Silkman, Director of the Maine State Planning Office and the Chair of the Task Force on Defense Realignment and the Maine Economy appointed by Governor John McKernan, announced last week that the first meeting of the Task Force has been scheduled for Sept. 11, 1:30-4, at the Augusta Civic Center.

# *The Community Calendar is brought to you by*

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**SEPTEMBER**

**American Red Cross Standard First Aid**
This new revised eight-hour program will present information and skills to enable participants to handle first aid emergencies until advanced medical care arrives. Upon completion of requirements, you will receive certification in C.P.R. and First Aid. Fee: $39.00.

**Infant/Child C.P.R.**
This six-hour course will provide knowledge and skills regarding infant and child C.P.R. and management of choking, as well as prevention of accidents in infants and children. Fee: $15.00.

**How To Lower Your Cholesterol**
This one-hour program will provide information regarding how to select and prepare foods to lower your cholesterol. There is no charge for this program.

**Cholesterol Screening**
Dates and times available at switchboard, call 364-4581.

**For more information call the hospital at 364-4581.**

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**Thursday, Sept. 6:** Woodstock Senior Citizens meet at the Grange Hall, Bryant Pond. Luncheon will be served by members of Franklin Grange.

Telstar Athletic Boosters, first meeting of the school year, Telstar Library, 7-8 p.m.

**Thursday, Sept. 6:** Public hearing on Bethel Park Apartments, Telstar Regional High School, 7 p.m.

**Friday, Sept. 7:** Ralph C. Heath to lecture on "Hydrogeology and Hazardous Waste Disposal" Room 204 of Carnegie Science Hall, at 7 p.m.

**Friday, Sept. 7:** Bethel United Methodist Women meeting at noon in the church dining room for a potluck luncheon. Hostesses are Verna Dyke and Sylvia Clanton.

**Thursday, Sept. 6-Saturday, Sept. 8:** Heart Association CPR Course, Stoneham Rescue Barn, East Stoneham, 7-10 p.m. To register, call 928-2675.

**Sunday, Sept. 9:** Services with Rev. Norman Rust, Middle Intervale Meeting House, at 2 p.m.

**Tuesday, Sept. 11:** Oxford County Republicans, Stoneham town office, social hour, 6 p.m., potluck supper 7 p.m.

**Wednesday, Sept. 12:** Bethel Senior Citizens luncheon meeting at Locke Mills Town Hall.

Updated Standard First Aid Course at Stephens Memorial Hospital, 5-9 p.m., $35. Call 743-5933, Ext. 471 for information.

**Friday, Sept. 14:** Mahoosuc Arts Presents "The Magic of Lyn" at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy, Bethel at 7 p.m. For tickets 824-3575.

**Saturday, Sept. 15:** "Problems and pleasures of old houses and historic buildings" at the Universalist Meeting House on Route 231 in New Gloucester, at 2 p.m.

**Saturday, Sept. 15:** Registration for Skating classes at Notre Dame Arena, Berlin, New Hampshire, 12-4 p.m. Info call (603) 753-6567 or (603) 466-2875.

**Sunday-Saturday, Sept. 9-15:** Oxford County Fair, at the fairgrounds behind Oxford Plaza, Oxford.

**Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 15-16:** ATV Safety Course, Fryeburg Fairgrounds, sponsored by Cooperative Extension Service. For registration call 743-6329.

**Friday, Sept. 21:** Free legal service, Pine Tree Legal Association, South Paris Library, 10-12 noon. Rumford Public Library 2-4 p.m.

**Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29:** Twenty-fourth Annual Old Fiddling & Stepdancing Contest.

**Sunday, Sept. 30-Sunday, Oct. 7:** Fryeburg Fair, at the fairgrounds.

**Tuesday, Oct. 2:** Job training program for women begins at CMTC, Auburn. For information, call Women Unlimited, 786-5259.

**Friday-Saturday, Oct. 5-6:** "Harvey" will be presented by the Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association.

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**Andover Library Hours:** Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1:00-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

**Bethel Library;** hours: Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 1-5 p.m., preschool story hour, 10-11 a.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

**Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond:** Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Friday, 1-5 p.m.

**Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill;** hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10-4; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9. Telephone: 743-2980.

**West Paris Library, West Paris;** hours: Monday, 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

**Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover;** hours: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

**REACH** — Sexual Abuse Helpline, 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse—past or present. 24 hour service in Oxford County.

**AA Meetings at Bethel Fire Station:** Sunday–6-7:30 p.m., Big Book: Tuesday–7-8:30 p.m., Women's Discussion; Friday–7:30-9 p.m., Step 12×12.

**Every Wednesday:** Gilead Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**First Wednesday of Each Month:** Purity Chapter #102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Sons of American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Jackson-Silver Post #68, American Legion, Locke Mills.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office.

**Second Wednesday of Each Month:** La Leche League meets in area members' homes. Call 836-3567 for more information.

**Every Thursday:** Game Party at Mundt-Allen Post #81, Vernon Street, Bethel, 6:30 p.m.

West Paris Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

**First Thursday of Each Month:** Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

**Second Thursday of Each Month:** Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Casco Bank, 7:30 a.m.

SHARE support group for bereaved parents suffering loss of an infant or miscarriage, at Stephens Memorial Hospital, 7-9 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

**Third Thursday of Each Month:** Fish & Game, at the Bethel United Methodist Church; potluck supper 6 p.m.; meeting at 7 p.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, at Newry municipal building, 7:30 p.m., meeting.

**Every Friday:** Friday Gift Shop, at the Bethel United Methodist Church, during summer, 1-5 p.m.

Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post #68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6:30 p.m.

**Third Friday of Each Month:** Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

**Second Saturday of Each Month:** Woodstock Historical Society, 7 p.m., Woodstock Historical Society Museum.

**First Monday of Each Month:** Newry Community Church Ladies' Circle, 7:30 p.m.

**Second Monday of Each Month:** Newry Mothers' Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

**First and Third Monday of Each Month:** Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Second Tuesday of Each Month:** Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Bethel Snow Twisters, meet at Casco Bank, 7 p.m.

**Every Tuesday:** Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Cross Country Quilters meets at the Bethel Library, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

**First and Third Tuesday of Each Month:** Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St. Social hour—6:30-7 p.m.; Dinner at 7 p.m. and meeting follows.

**First and Third Tuesday of Each Month:** Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

**Every Tuesday:** Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 6 p.m.

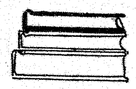
Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

**Second and Fourth Monday of Each Month:** SAD #44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover.

**First Wednesday of Each Month:** Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office.

**First and Third Wednesday of Each Month:** Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7:30 p.m.

**Second and Fourth Wednesday of Each Month:** Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.



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# Fiddling & Stepdancing Contest Sept. 28-29

From the top of Seminary Hill in Barre, Vt., the Northeast Fiddlers' Association will host the 24th annual Old Fiddling and Stepdancing Contest in the municipal auditorium on Sept. 28 and 29.

Some 3,000 attend the contest each year, coming from as close as Barre Town and as far away as Florida, to listen to contestants from all parts of the United States and Canada compete for the National Championship title, and to relax and enjoy the friendly family atmosphere of this festive event.

The contest starts at 7 p.m. on Friday evening and continues until the preliminaries of the Junior Jr., Senior and Stepdancing, Class 1, 2 and 3 are completed.

The program resumes on Saturday morning at 11 a.m. with the preliminaries of the Intermediate and Champion divisions. Finals of all divisions start at 6:30 p.m. Saturday evening ending with the presentation of awards and trophies.

Added attractions will include the Hilltop Cloggers and also Hunger Mountain Haze Band.

The spacious auditorium, with a well balanced and skillfully controlled sound system, adds to people's enjoyment. New and old fiddlers get together for jam sessions at the lower level of the building which also includes the registration center for the fiddlers, plus a food concession.

The whole family can attend and enjoy a great weekend of fine entertainment. No alcoholic beverages or dogs are allowed in the hall.

Knowledgeable and conscientious judging by members of the North American Old Time Fiddling Judges Association.

A friendly atmosphere along with ample parking space and low admission fee of only $6 for Friday evening, $6 for Saturday afternoon and $7 for Saturday evening or $15 for a weekend pass.

To assure accommodations for this contest, write to the Chamber of Commerce, Barre, Vt., 05641. Further information on the contest may be obtained by writing to Lynn Commo, Chairperson, RD #4, Box 630, Montpelier, Vt., 05602 or call 1-802-223-0818.

## 'Harvey' in rehearsal at Paris Hill center

The classic comedy, "Harvey," is currently in rehearsal and will soon liven the Oxford Hills theatrical stage.

Under the sponsorship of Norway Savings Bank, the Oxford Hills Music and Performing Arts Association (OHMPAA) will present the outrageous story of Elwood P. Dowd and his invisible rabbit in performances on Oct. 5 and 6 at the Paris Hill Community Center.

The show is under the stage direction of Linda Sturdivant with technical direction done by Lisa Whitley.

The cast of "Harvey" includes some veterans of the local stage as well as first time performers. The cast includes Dana Trask of Norway as Elwood; Veronica Knight of Norway as Veta Louise; Jane Whitney Martin of Harrison as Myrtle Mae; Joel Pulkkinen of Norway as Duane Wilson; Alison Whitney of South Paris as Mrs. Chumley; Elton Cole of Bryant Pond as Dr. Chumley; Jackie Lynch of South Paris as Nurse Kelly; Shirli Allen of Oxford as Mrs. Chauvenette; Normand Caron of Auburn as Judge Gaffney; Eddie Baldridge of Norway as Dr. Sanderson; Diane Peet of Harrison as Miss Johnson; and Dan Allen of Oxford as E.J. Lofgren.

For the first time, OHMPAA will perform in the Paris Hill Community Center, an historic building in the Oxford Hills village. Often used as a gathering place for the community, the center has a long history of theatrical productions performed in the second floor theater, complete with vintage hardwood floors and a gigantic chandelier to welcome audiences.

"We decided to try a new location," explained Dan Allen, President of OHMPAA, commenting on the Paris Hill performing space. "And we chose the play 'Harvey' because it's probably one of the best comedies written for the theatrical stage. It will be a sure-fire winner with the area audiences."

Tickets for "Harvey" will be available by mid-September.

## Mahoosuc Arts prepares for 1990-91 season

"The Magic of Lyn" will open the 1990-91 Mahoosuc Arts season on Sept. 14 at 7 p.m. in the Bingham Auditorium in Bethel.

Lyn Dillies' show sizzles with enthusiasm and up-beat appeal as she incorporates music, choreography, comedy, color and animals to create "impossible possibilities" in her performance.

During the day, Dillies will perform for SAD #44 elementary students in the Bingham Auditorium at Gould Academy as part of the Arts Council's Artists in the Schools program.

Tickets for the evening performance are on sale at Prim's in Bethel. Tickets may also be reserved by calling the Mahoosuc Arts office at 824-3575.

## Retired teachers to meet Sept. 15

The Oxford County Retired Teachers will meet on Saturday, Sept. 15 at the East Stoneham Congregational Church.

A social period will start at 10:30 a.m., followed by the business meeting at 11 a.m. The afternoon session will be on the high school program "Odyssey of the Mind," presented by John Kimball. The scholarship fundraiser will be a paperback book sale.

### Senior Citizen menus

Tuesday, Sept. 11: Ham Italian, carrot coins, fruit.

Thursday, Sept. 13: Hotdog in a roll, corn, fruit.

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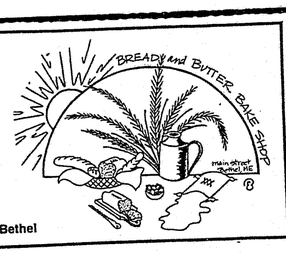


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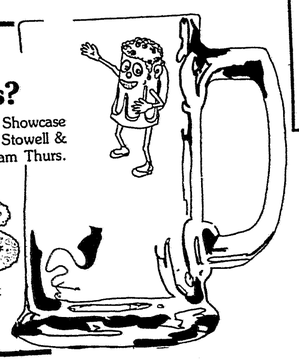

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Chilled Tomato, V-8, Papaya, Orange & Pink Grapefruit Juice .75 to $1.50
Fresh Squeezed Orange or Grapefruit Juice $1.95

CEREALS HOT & COLD
Selection of Cold Cereal .75
Oatmeal $1.50
With Fresh Fruit add .50

EGGS & SUCH
Single Egg $1.50
Two Eggs $2.00
Steak & Eggs $6.95
Egg Benners add per egg .25
Scrambled Egg with Lobster $5.50
*All of the above served with homemade bread toasted.*
Cindy Muffin $2.85
Grilled muffin with ham, eggs and cheese
Cindy Muffin with Lobster $4.95

SPECIALTIES OF THE HOUSE
Lobster Omelet $5.96
Crab Omelet $5.95
Smoked Salmon, Chive & Cream Cheese Omelet $6.95
Homemade Corned Beef Hash & Eggs $4.95
*All of the above served with homemade bread toasted*
Breakfast Tree $5.95
*A must for one or an eye opener for 2 or more. An excellent assortment of fresh fruits, muffins, fruit yogurt, granola and cream cheese*
Bagel, Smoked Salmon & Cream Cheese $6.50
Croissant with assorted fruits & yogurt dip $3.75

THE BEST OMELET YOU CAN IMAGINE, BECAUSE YOU BUILD IT YOURSELF.
*All of our omelets are made with 3 extra large eggs, served with homemade bread toasted and include your first two choices.*
Omelet, with two choices $4.50
Each additional choice .50
*Bacon, Ham, Sausage, Feta Cheese, Tomato, Onion, Imported Swiss Cheddar, Green Pepper, Mushroom, Potato, Monterey Jack*

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Short Stack $2.00
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With Blueberries add $1.00
With Real Maple Syrup add $1.25
French Toast $2.50
French Toast Mt. Abram $3.75
*Topped with mounds of whipped cream, fresh fruit and raspberry sauce*
Peanut Butter & Jelly French Toast $3.50
*You don't have to be a kid to enjoy it.*
Fonage Pancakes $3.50
*A creation from the island of Fonage, Banana Pancakes with a syrup made of fresh fruit of the season, pineapple juice & brown sugar.*

A LA CARTE
Homemade Corned Beef Hash $2.95
Bacon or Sausage Links $1.65
Sausage Patties or Slab of Ham $1.95
2 & 2 $1.75
*2 slices of Bacon, 2 links of Sausage*
Hash Browns .75
Escalloped Apples .75
*Hot baked apples are great with omelets, pancakes, French toast or just a pleasant change from hash browns.*

BREADS
Homemade white, wheat, wheat molasses & sunflower seed .75
Rye .75
Bagels with Cream Cheese $1.25
Croissant $1.75
Homemade Muffin .75
English Muffin .95
Homemade Danish price varies

BEVERAGES
Choice of Fresh Ground Coffees $1.00
Tea or Decaf $1.00
Hot Chocolate $1.00
Milk $1.00

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**Friday:**
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## THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 6, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | Cheers | M*A*S*H | Movie: "Airport '77" | | | | | Hogan | M*A*S*H | Newhart |
| (4) | Rendezvou | Monitor | Secrets of Nature | | Beyond 2000 | | Hunters | Beer Hunt | Explore | |
| (5) | Scarecr.-King | | Movie: "The Last Wagon" | | | | 700 Club | | Batman | Last Wagn |
| 6 | Cosby | Night Court | Cosby | Dif. World | Cheers | Wings | Parenthood | | News | Tonight |
| 8 | Fortune | Jeopardy! | Father Dowling | | Billy Graham Crusade | | Primetime Live | | News | Nightline |
| 10 | MacNeil/Lehrer | | Mainewtch | Maine | Mystery! | | Golden Years | | Butterflies | Brush |
| (11) | E.N.G. | | L.A. Law | | Movie: "The Cover Girl and the Cop" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd |
| (12) | Music Row Video | | Cowboys | | Nashville Now | | | Crook | Mus. Shop | On Stage |
| 13 | Challenger | Cur. Affair | 48 Hours | | CBS News Special: Solving the Education Crisis | | | | News | News Sp. |
| (14) | Sail N.E. | TBA | Lacrosse: USA Invitational | | | | Sports | | CFL Football: Toronto at B.C. | |
| (17D) | Moneyline | Crossfire | PrimeNews | | Larry King Live | | World Now | | Moneyline | Sports |
| (18E) | Movie: "Plain Clothes" | | | | "The Lair of the White Worm" | | | Movie: "To Die For" | | |
| (20G) | Summer Cooler: Hartford Whalers at Boston Bruins | | | | | Motorcycle Racing | | CART Wk. | This Week in NASCAR | |
| (21H) | SportsCtr. | Football | College Football: Stanford at Colorado | | | | | | Baseball | SportsCtr. |
| (22I) | Hap. Days | Jeffersons | Sanford and Son: The Big One's Back | | | | | Major League Baseball | | |
| (23J) | Marketwr. | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Business | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Fin. Future | Entrepr. |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Dobie Gillis | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | Hitchcock | Patty Duke |
| (26M) | Sister Sam | U.S. Open Tennis | | | | | | | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Survival | Gallant Br. | Eagle-Bear | Haydn Cello Concertos | | | Classics | Alan Rachins | |
| (29P) | Movie: "Fire With Fire" | | | | Movie: "Lethal Weapon II" | | | | Scenes | Comedians |
| (31R) | Sleeping | DuckTales | Movie: "The Capture of Grizzly Adams" | | | | Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson" | | | |
| (32S) | Cosby | Kate & Allie | Movie: "Blow Out" | | | | News | | 50 Years | Comedy |
| (34U) | Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia Phillies | | | | | | News | | Twil. Zone | Magnum |

## FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 7, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | Cheers | Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox | | | | | | Hogan | M*A*S*H | Newhart |
| (4) | Rendezvou | Monitor | Bill Burrud's Animals | | War Stories | | Animal Aliens | | Just for the Record | |
| (5) | Preview | Big Jake | Beauty and the Beast | | Beauty and the Beast | | 700 Club | | Zorro | Beauty-Bst |
| 6 | Cosby | Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox | | | | | Midnight Caller | | News | Tonight |
| 8 | Fortune | Jeopardy! | Full House | Preview | Billy Graham Crusade | | | | News | Nightline |
| 10 | MacNeil/Lehrer | | Wash. Wk. | Wall St. | Mystery! | | No. Hon. | Served | One Aircraft Is Missing | |
| (11) | E.N.G. | | L.A. Law | | Movie: "The Littlest Victims" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd |
| (12) | Music Row Video | | Texas | On Stage | Nashville Now | | | Crook | Just for Laughs | |
| 13 | Challenger | Cur. Affair | Rescue 911 | | Movie: "Night Walk" | | | | News | U.S. Open |
| (14) | Tennis | Celtics Encore: Knicks at Celtics | | | | | CFL Football: Calgary Stampeders at Edmonton Eskimos | | | |
| (17D) | Moneyline | Crossfire | PrimeNews | | Larry King Live | | World Now | | Moneyline | Sports |
| (18E) | "Hot Stuff" | Movie: "Lords of the Deep" | | | Movie: "The Abyss" | | | | | Takin' It |
| (20G) | LPGA Golf: Cellular One Ping Championship | | | | Summer Cooler: Hartford Whalers at Boston Bruins | | | | | Bowling |
| (21H) | SportsCtr. | Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced | | | | | | Major League Baseball: Teams TBA | | |
| (22I) | Hap. Days | Jeffersons | Movie: "Wagonmaster" | | | | Major League Baseball: Braves at Padres | | | |
| (23J) | Marketwr. | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Business | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Fin. Future | Entrepr. |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Dobie Gillis | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | Hitchcock | Patty Duke |
| (26M) | Miami Vice | | Murder, She Wrote | | Hitchcock | Bradbury | Hitchhiker | Swamp | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Survival | Revue | | Movie: "The Winter of Our Discontent" | | | | Robert Wuhl | |
| (29P) | "Ghost Fever" Cont'd | | Crypt Tales | Dream On | Movie: "Fear City" | | | Movie: "Last Rites" | | |
| (31R) | Movie: "Our Little Girl" | | Mother Goose | | Movie: "Oh God! Book II" | | | | "Cocoon: The Return" | |
| (32S) | Cosby | Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Philadelphia Phillies | | | | | | News | | Cinema |
| (34U) | Griffith | Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Toronto Blue Jays | | | | | | News | | Magnum |

## SATURDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 8, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | St. Elsewhere | | Movie: "Roman Holiday" | | | | | Movie: "Sabrina" | | |
| (4) | Planet for the Taking | | Explore | | Wings | | American Album | | Challenge | |
| (5) | Rin Tin Tin | T and T | Dirty Dozen: The Series | | Dirty Dozen: The Series | | Hardcastle | | Scarecr.-King | |
| 6 | Jefferson | Cosby | Golden G. | Working It Out | | Fanelli Bys | Miss America Pageant | | | |
| 8 | Boss? | Boss? | Jeopardy | Funniest | Twin Peaks | | Twin Peaks | | | Byron Allen |
| 10 | Maine | Know Me. | Evening at Pops | | Mapp & Lucia | | Doctor Who | | | Off Center |
| (11) | "A Bunny's Tale" | | Movie: "Striker's Mountain" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd | Movie: "L.A. Law" | |
| (12) | With Dinah | Ctry Music | Church St. | Ole Opry | B. Mandrell | | Mus. Shop | Texas | On Stage | Ole Opry |
| 13 | Star Search | | Seriously... Phil Collins | | Newhart | Movie: "Armed and Dangerous" | | | News | Cur. Affair |
| (14) | Transworld Sport | | College Football: Coast Guard at Merchant Marine | | | | | | Sports | Football |
| (17D) | Capital | Sports Sat. | PrimeNews | | Showbiz | East-West | World Now | | Capital | Sports |
| (18E) | "Hombre" Cont'd | | Movie: "Stewardess School" | | | Movie: "Shadowzone" | | | "Lethal Weapon II" | |
| (20G) | LPGA Golf: Cellular One Ping Championship | | | | PGA Golf: European Open | | | | Major League Baseball | |
| (21H) | Scoreboard | College Football: Miami at Brigham Young | | | | | | Scoreboard | Baseball | SportsCtr. |
| (22I) | Championship Wrestling | | Movie: "Dallas" | | | | Major League Baseball: Braves at Padres | | | |
| (23J) | Sports Newswheel | | Sports Newswheel | | | | Final Score | | | |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Looney | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | On the TV | Hitchcock |
| (26M) | Counterstrike | | Movie: "The Unnamable" | | | | Hitchhiker | Hitchcock | "Pick-Up Summer" | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Seas | Footsteps of Man | | Movie: "All the President's Men" | | | | | |
| (29P) | Movie: "Lean on Me" | | | | Movie: "Criminal Justice" | | | Comedy Hour: Wright | | Dead Bang |
| (31R) | Movie: "The Strongest Man in the World" | | | | Movie: "Oh God! You Devil" | | | | Jackie Gleason | |
| (32S) | Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Philadelphia Phillies | | | | | | News | | Howard Stern | |
| (34U) | Charles | Fortune | Tale Spin: Plunder & Lightning | | | | News | | H'mooner | Conan |

## SUNDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 9, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
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| (3) | Movie: "Cape Fear" | | | | Sportsbeat | | War of the Worlds | | Manager | Rabbis |
| (4) | Nature of Things | | Alaska's Wildlife | | Treasures of a Lost Voyage | | | | Wings | |
| (5) | Rin Tin Tin | T and T | Healthy Kids Quiz | | Charles Stanley | | Ben Haden | Ankerberg | Paid Prog. | Ed Young |
| 6 | Bloopers-Jokes | | NBC News Special | | Movie: "A Fight for Jenny" | | | | News | Sports |
| 8 | Life Goes On | | Funniest Home Videos | | Movie: "Little Shop of Horrors" | | | | | Peek |
| 10 | Austin City Limits | | Infinite Voyage | | Masterpiece Theatre | | Mystery! | | "Slightly Honorable" | |
| (11) | Pharmacy | Milestones | Cardiology | Int'l Med. | OB/Gyn. | Family | Orthoped. | Int'l Med. | Prescribing Information | |
| (12) | American Sports Cavalcade | | | NHRA | Racing | Bill Dance | Outdoor | Bassmstr. | Speed | Truckin' |
| 13 | 60 Minutes | | Murder, She Wrote | | Movie: "Jesse" | | | | | Crazy/Fox |
| (14) | Inside Golf | Speedway Sunday | | | | | Sports | Inside Pitch | College Football | |
| (17D) | Newswatch | Sport Sun. | PrimeNews | | Week in Review | | World Now | | Business | Sports |
| (18E) | Movie: "Say Anything" | | | | Movie: "How I Got Into College" | | | Movie: "Bloodfist" | | |
| (20G) | LPGA Golf: Cellular One Ping Championship | | | | PGA Golf: European Open | | | | College Football | |
| (21H) | NFL Primetime | | Major League Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Chicago Cubs | | | | | | SportsCenter | |
| (22I) | "Race for Your Life, Charlie Brown!" | | Flintstones | | National Geographic Explorer | | | | Earth | Marriage |
| (23J) | Sports Newswheel | | Sports Newswheel | | | | Final Score | | | |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Looney | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | On the TV | Hitchcock |
| (26M) | Movie: "The Shining" | | | | | | Counterstrike | | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Road to War | | Rain Forest Imperative | | All Creatures | | Evening at the Improv | | Caroline's Comedy Hour | |
| (29P) | Movie: "Caddyshack II" | | | | Movie: "Somebody Has to Shoot the Picture" | | | | Dream On | April Fool |
| (31R) | Movie: "Good Old Boy" | | | | With George Burns | | Movie: "Going in Style" | | | |
| (32S) | To Be Announced | | | | Jack Benny | Burns | News | Golf Show | Paid Program | |
| (34U) | "My Friend Flicka" | | Movie: "Jaguar" | | "Yukon Vengeance" | | News | | Monsters | Trapper |

## MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 10, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | Cheers | M*A*S*H | Movie: "Pack of Lies" | | | | Hogan | WKRP | M*A*S*H | Newhart |
| (4) | Rendezvou | Monitor | Challenge | | Safari | | America | America | Great Wall of Iron | |
| (5) | Scarecr.-King | | Shogun | | | | 700 Club | | Batman | Shogun |
| 6 | Cosby | Night Court | Fresh Pr. | Ferris B. | Movie: "Joshua's Heart" | | | | News | Carson |
| 8 | Fortune | Jeopardy! | MacGyver | | NFL Football: San Francisco 49ers at New Orleans Saints | | | | | |
| 10 | MacNeil/Lehrer | | Adventure | | Firing Line Special Debate: Government | | | | McLaughlin | 1 on 1 |
| (11) | E.N.G. | | L.A. Law | | Movie: "Who Is Julia?" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd |
| (12) | Music Row Video | | Gospel | On Stage | Nashville Now | | | Crook | Gospel | On Stage |
| 13 | Challenger | Cur. Affair | TBA | TBA | Murphy B. | Design. W. | With Connie Chung | | News | Night Heat |
| (14) | Ed Randall | Fame | Sports Writers on TV | | Best of Pro Boxing Tour | | | | Sports | Sports |
| (17D) | Moneyline | Crossfire | PrimeNews | | Larry King Live | | World Now | | Moneyline | Sports |
| (18E) | "The Deep" Cont'd | | Movie: "Shirley Valentine" | | | | Movie: "She's Having a Baby" | | | |
| (20G) | Major League Baseball | | Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox | | | | | | Boxing: Fight Night | |
| (21H) | SportsCtr. | Motorweek | Match-up | Mon. Mag. | Jet Skiing: World Cup | | Powerboats | | Baseball | SportsCtr. |
| (22I) | Hap. Days | Jeffersons | Movie: "That Touch of Mink" | | | | Major League Baseball: Braves at Giants | | | |
| (23J) | Marketwr. | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Business | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Fin. Future | Entrepr. |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | In. Gadget | Dobie Gillis | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | Hitchcock | Patty Duke |
| (26M) | Miami Vice | | Murder, She Wrote | | Prime Time Wrestling | | | | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Survival | Life on Earth | | Miss Marple: Nemesis | | Movie: "Dead Lucky" | | Mariette Hartley | |
| (29P) | Mulligan | Babar | Golden Age of Sport | | Movie: "True Believer" | | | | News | Lethal II |
| (31R) | Roundup | Strawberry | Avonlea | | Movie: "The Babe Ruth Story" | | | | Ozzie | 23 Paces |
| (32S) | Cosby | Kate & Allie | Money-Inflnc. | | Run for Your Life | | News | | 50 Years | Comedy |
| (34U) | Griffith | Bewitched | Major League Baseball: Montreal Expos at Chicago Cubs | | | | | | News | Magnum |

## TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 11, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | Cheers | M*A*S*H | Movie: "Mommie Dearest" | | | | | WKRP | M*A*S*H | Newhart |
| (4) | Rendezvou | Monitor | Women | Look East | Beyond 2000 | | | Nature | Wildlife | War Stories |
| (5) | Scarecr.-King | | Shogun | | | | 700 Club | | Batman | Shogun |
| 6 | Cosby | Night Court | Matlock | | | | NBC News Special | | News | Tonight |
| 8 | Fortune | Jeopardy! | Boss? | Head Clss. | Roseanne | Coach | Peter Jennings | | News | Nightline |
| 10 | MacNeil/Lehrer | | Frontline Special Report | | Frederick Law Olmsted | | P.O.V. | | | A Very Peculiar Practice |
| (11) | E.N.G. | | L.A. Law | | Movie: "Sudie and Simpson" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd |
| (12) | Music Row Video | | Just for Laughs | | Nashville Now | | | Crook | Church St. | On Stage |
| 13 | Challenger | Cur. Affair | Rescue 911 | | Movie: "Dirty Dancing" | | | | News | Stingray |
| (14) | R Michaud | Wrestling | Lou Holtz | | Horse Show Jumping | | Sports | Rod-Reel | Sports | Auto Race |
| (17D) | Moneyline | Crossfire | PrimeNews | | Larry King Live | | World Now | | Moneyline | Sports |
| (18E) | "Batman" Cont'd | | Movie: "Young Einstein" | | | Movie: "Licence to Kill" | | | | |
| (20G) | Red Sox | Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox | | | | | | Motorcycle Racing | | Baseball |
| (21H) | SportsCtr. | Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced | | | | | | Major League Baseball: Teams TBA | | |
| (22I) | Hap. Days | Jeffersons | Movie: "Three Days of the Condor" | | | | | Major League Baseball | | |
| (23J) | Marketwr. | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Business | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Fin. Future | Entrepr. |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Dobie Gillis | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | Hitchcock | Patty Duke |
| (26M) | Miami Vice | | Murder, She Wrote | | Boxing | | | | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Survival | Biography | | Movie: "The Accountant" | | | | Tommy Chong | |
| (29P) | Record Breakers | | Movie: "Lean on Me" | | | | | Dream On | Crypt Tales | "April Fool's Day" |
| (31R) | Puss-Boots | Frecklejuic | Frog Prince | | Sher. Holmes | | Movie: "Stand and Deliver" | | | |
| (32S) | Cosby | Major League Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at New York Mets | | | | | | News | | Comedy |
| (34U) | Griffith | Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Cleveland Indians | | | | | | News | | Magnum |

## WEDNESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 12, 1990

| | 7:00 | 7:30 | 8:00 | 8:30 | 9:00 | 9:30 | 10:00 | 10:30 | 11:00 | 11:30 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| (3) | Cheers | M*A*S*H | Movie: "Fatal Beauty" | | | | Hogan | WKRP | M*A*S*H | Newhart |
| (4) | Rendezvou | Monitor | Great Wall of Iron | | Wings | | Survival! | Motorcar | Safari | |
| (5) | Scarecr.-King | | Shogun | | | | 700 Club | | Batman | Shogun |
| 6 | Cosby | Night Court | Unsolved Mysteries | | Fanelli Bys | Dear John | To Be Announced | | News | Tonight |
| 8 | Fortune | Jeopardy! | Wonder Y. | Gro. Pains | Doogie H. | Videos | Gabriel's Fire | | News | Nightline |
| 10 | MacNeil/Lehrer | | "Amazing Grace With Bill Moyers" | | | Music | Profit the Earth | | The '90s | |
| (11) | E.N.G. | | L.A. Law | | Movie: "Reflections of Murder" | | | | Ullman | Molly Dodd |
| (12) | Music Row Video | | With Dinah | On Stage | Nashville Now | | | Crook | With Dinah | On Stage |
| 13 | Challenger | Cur. Affair | Crime Prevention | | Jake and the Fatman | | Top Cops | | News | Wolf |
| (14) | Tennis | Whalers Encore: Bruins at Whalers | | | | Sail N.E. | Sports | Football | | |
| (17D) | Moneyline | Crossfire | PrimeNews | | Larry King Live | | World Now | | Moneyline | Sports |
| (18E) | "The Toy" Cont'd | | Movie: "War Party" | | | | Movie: "The Abyss" | | | |
| (20G) | Major League Baseball: Brewers at Red Sox | | | | Summer Cooler: Montreal Canadiens at Boston Bruins | | | | | Baseball |
| (21H) | SportsCtr. | Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced | | | | | | Baseball Tonight | | SportsCtr. |
| (22I) | Hap. Days | Jeffersons | Movie: "The Sacketts" | | | | | | | |
| (23J) | Marketwr. | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Business | Entrepr. | Focus | Insiders | Fin. Future | Entrepr. |
| (24K) | In. Gadget | Looney | Dobie Gillis | Bewitched | Gr. Acres | Donna R. | Sat. Night | 2Night | Hitchcock | Patty Duke |
| (26M) | Miami Vice | | Murder, She Wrote | | Movie: "After the Shock" | | | | Miami Vice | |
| (27N) | Wilderness | Survival | Churchill | Crusade | 1960 Democratic Conv. | | Reasonable Doubt | | Jake Steinfield | |
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# Andover changes special election to Sept. 24

By BARBARA ADAMS

The date of the Andover special election to fill the vacant seat of the Andover Board of Selectmen has been changed to Monday, Sept. 24.

Originally scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 25, the date was changed at last week's selectmen's meeting because both Town Clerk Kathy Williamson and Deputy Clerk Phyllis Spaulding would have been unable to work on that date.

The special election is being held to fill the unexpired term of former selectman William Maselli, who resigned last month. Maselli said he resigned because he needed to devote more time to his law practice.

Polling hours for the Sept. 24 special election will be from noon to 7 p.m. at the Town Hall.

Due to the change, papers for candidates for the office of selectman have to be filed at the town office no later than Sept. 10, not Sept. 11 as previously announced.

In other business Aug. 28, the selectmen met with cemetery sexton Ed Robinson to discuss the status of his position.

Robinson told the selectmen that he would prefer to be a town employee rather than an independent contractor so he would be eligible for workman's compensation.

"The amount of time I am working (maintaining the cemetery) it doesn't add up to much. I think I'm valuable and have enough expertise, and I am not getting enough money with all the problems I get as a sexton," Robinson said.

He said at the time he accepted the position he was no longer a landscape contractor. His main field now, he said, is adult education.

"The reason I took the job," he said, "is that I really wanted to bring back the cemetery. The place is really beginning to shape up. It takes a certain amount of expertise to make the cemetery look nice."

Board Chairman Fred Emerson told Robinson, "When the bid went out it was real specific. We have enough town employee problems as it is; we do not want any more. You are not a town employee, you are a contractor. The sexton maintains the cemetery completely separate from the town."

"I do the job and keep running after it so the cemetery looks like it does right now. I even would like to become town arborist sometime down the road. Something to do with the beautification of the town, and not someone who puts out grunt labor," Robinson said.

One of his accomplishments, he said, was the removal of trees which were growing over the graves.

Emerson reminded Robinson that he had agreed with the submitted bid at the start.

"We took your lowest bid, as an individual on a monthly rate to do the cemetery," Emerson said.

Robinson said he had not seen the original ad, but heard of the position by word of mouth. The ad was shown to him at the meeting, and he said he would "like to appeal to a higher authority."

The selectmen assured Robinson that in Andover there is no higher authority than the selectmen.

Mills told Robinson the selectmen would like him to finish out the year. Both selectmen said the quality of Robinson's work was not an issue.

"You have a guy right here who is looking out for the beautification of the town," Robinson said. "Give me until Friday to think about it."

The selectmen decided to draw up a contract for the position, and await Robinson's decision.

Robinson notified the selectmen on Thursday, Aug. 30, that he would be willing to remain as sexton through October. He said he felt it was his obligation to finish what he started.

The selectmen chose Arthur Myshrall and Don French to join Fire Chief Ken Dixon to form a committee to purchase a used fire truck. The committee will meet at the fire station with the selectmen for a general discussion of the town's needs in the matter, with Fire Chief Dixon to set the date. The selectmen will have final approval of the purchase.

Town Treasurer Alex LeGault said the town has a deficit of over $300 in the Olde Home Days account. LeGault said that this year Boise Cascade donated $200 to the celebration rather than the $600 they donated last year.

LeGault said John and Julie Fox of Andover donated $150 to help offset the deficit, and the selectmen expressed their appreciation. LeGault said contributions are still coming in.

John Richardson, Adolph Gagnon and Tom McNamara of South Arm reported boundary markers missing from their property after road construction. The selectmen said they will investigate the matter.

The selectmen voted to pay $29,029 for county taxes, and $6,000 to Steve Swasey for reconstruction on South Arm Road.

The selectmen also agreed to seek a new town accountant due to the death of the former one. The state requires a certified CPA to review town books once a year.

## Senior Citizens to meet

Bethel Senior Citizens will meet at Locke Mills Town Hall, Wednesday, Sept. 12, at 11 a.m. Dinner provided by the Fireman Auxiliary.

# No town paving this year on Andover's South Arm Road

By BARBARA ADAMS

The two Andover selectmen disagreed last Thursday on a $37.32 per ton deal to pave a portion of South Arm Road, each effectively cancelling out the other's decision.

Pike Industries of Poland Spring was already in the area paving Route 5 and two, two-mile sections of the county portion of South Arm Road, so Administrative Assistant Rebecca Schachter called Pike Industry's sales representative to ask what the cost would be to pave the recently reconstructed town's portion of South Arm Road.

"The price they gave us," Schachter said, "was a very good one. We have $20,000 in the paving account. For two-inch modified binder, 20 feet wide, which would be good for five years, their price was $18,100 at $37.32 a ton."

Schachter said Board Chairman Fred Emerson agreed with the paving as long as it could be done within the month of September.

However, Schachter said, Selectman Brian Mills disagreed; therefore, plans for the paving were dropped.

Andover's third selectman, William Maselli resigned from the board last month due to the demands of his law practice.

# Bear-proof system at Monkey Brook; Sunday River treatment plant OK

NEWRY—Selectman here received notice that Richard Duka of Hanover Iron Works has installed a bear-proof system at the Monkey Brook dumpsters. Bears have been raiding a number of dumpsters in town. Duka will be installing the systems at Coombs. Viking and Sunday River Villages.

The town has received a copy of the treated waste water discharge license renewal issued by the DEP for Sunday River Ski Resort Sewage Treatment Plant. The document indicated that the Androscoggin River has been classified Class B and it would not be dropped by the resort's discharge.

The Sunday River Fire Station will be closed in by the end of the week and may be complete in three weeks, according to fire chief Virgil "Tink" Conkright.

Plumbing has been installed, sheetrock is being taped , garage doors will be installed soon and interior cabinets will arrive next week.

## Auxiliary start-up Sept. 7 in Newry

A start-up meeting will be held Sept. 7 at the Municipal Building at 7 p.m. for a Women's Fire Department Auxilliary.

The initial meeting will outline the group's plans and elect officers.

The group would like to do fundraising for the Fire Department for needed equipment that town funds are not available for. They are also planning to support firefighters at the scene of any large fires with refreshments.


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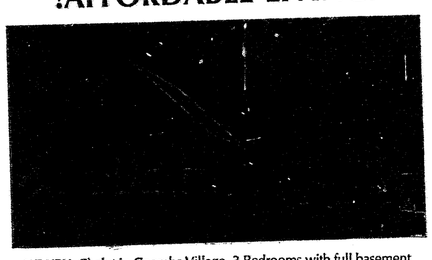

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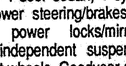
Save $4022  $373 monthly
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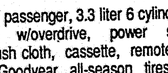
Save $3048  $264 monthly
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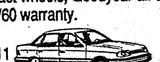
Save $4011  $209 monthly
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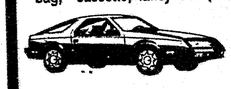 $194 monthly
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| YEAR | MODEL | MILEAGE | YEAR | MODEL | MILEAGE |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 84 | MARQUIS | 40,054 | 87 | AEROSTAR | 49,896 |
| 85 | EAGLE | 58,108 | 87 | CHEROKEE | 46,901 |
| 85 | MERCURY | 35,496 | 87 | GMC 1500 | 57,597 |
| 85 | CHRYSLER | 37,472 | 87 | XCAB | 42,937 |
| 85 | CROWN VIC | 48,826 | 87 | XCAB SR5 | 57,552 |
| 86 | TOPAZ | | 88 | CARAVAN | |
| 86 | TAURUS | 44,267 | 88 | BRONCO II | |
| 86 | SABLE | 54,528 | 88 | BRONCO II | 32,735 |
| 86 | DELTA 88 | 62,032 | 88 | CARAVAN | |
| 86 | CJ7 | 62,010 | 88 | BONCO II | |
| 86 | GL | 52,635 | 88 | CHEROKEE | |
| 87 | SABLE | | | SXL | 16,055 |
| 87 | CUTLASS CI | | | RANGER | 44,711 |
| 87 | FLEETWOOD | | | F150 | 69,122 |
| 87 | ARIES | | | F150 4x2 | 30,247 |
| 87 | ESCORT | | | S10 BLAZER | 38,724 |
| 87 | COUGAR | | | F150 | |
| 88 | TAURUS | | | WRANGLER | 12,675 |
| 88 | TEMPO | | | F150 | 17,600 |
| 88 | CORSICA | | | F150 | 10,637 |
| 88 | DL WAGON | | | RANGER XLT | |
| 88 | CORSICA | | | F250 | 25,100 |
| 88 | GRAND MARQUIS | | | RAM | 14,564 |
| 88 | TOWN CAR | | | SUPER DUTY | 16,352 |
| 88 | TOWN CAR 4 | | | RAM 250 | 32,627 |
| 88 | DAYTONA | | | F 150 | 15,311 |
| 88 | SABLE | | | F250 | 16,987 |
| 88 | FLEETWOOD | | | AEROSTAR | 3 |
| 88 | ESCORT | 46,220 | 90 | RANGER 4x2 | 5,800 |
| 88 | CAPRICE | 52,426 | 90 | RANGER XLT | 1,900 |
| 88 | IROC Z | 19,287 | 90 | RAM 150 | 3,801 |
| 88 | COLT | 59,238 | 80 | FAIRMONT | 83,444 |
| 88 | SHADOW | | 80 | 310 GX | 81,373 |
| 88 | COLT | | 81 | ESCORT | |
| 88 | MAXIMA | 32,966 | 82 | STANZA | 102,000 |
| 89 | ESCORT LX | 22,500 | 82 | CELEBRITY | 115,972 |
| 89 | MARK VII | 39,727 | 83 | ESCORT | 67,429 |
| 89 | FESTIVA | 8,590 | 83 | EXP | 73,479 |
| 89 | TOWN CAR | 15,315 | 83 | LEBARON | 74,600 |
| 89 | TEMPO GL | 25,289 | 83 | CIERRA | 66,451 |
| 89 | TEMPO | 26,102 | 83 | RELIANT | 87,058 |
| 89 | FESTIVA | | 83 | SENTRA | |
| 89 | CELICA | 15,007 | 83 | ESCORT | 70,136 |
| 89 | TOPAZ | 38,624 | 84 | ARIES | 34,700 |
| 84 | WAGONEER | 82,619 | 84 | LYNX | 86,015 |
| 86 | BRONCO II | 60,826 | 84 | CENTURY | |
| 86 | CARAVAN | 36,500 | 84 | MUSTANG | 51,850 |
| 86 | BRONCO | | 85 | OMNI | 53,631 |
| 86 | TRUCK | 61,262 | 85 | GLC LX | 93,150 |
| 87 | S10 | | 85 | ESCORT | 76,087 |
| 87 | DAKOTA S | 28,028 | 85 | LEBARON | |
| 87 | F150 4x4 | 50,442 | 85 | TEMPO | 85,253 |
| 87 | C-10 | 33,852 | 85 | MERCURY | 60,702 |
| 87 | F150 | 27,292 | 85 | CORDIA | 77,616 |
| 87 | F150 | 48,598 | 86 | ESCORT | 32,170 |
| 87 | AEROSTAR | | 86 | FIREBIRD | |
| 87 | AEROSTAR | | 87 | TOPAZ | |
| | | | 87 | COLT | 65,764 |

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CHALET LOTS in three villages at Sunday River Ski Area, from $24,900. Call 824-2420. 7tf

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OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS, Bethel Fire Station, 4-5 p.m. Mon., Fri., 824-2949 or 824-2413. 22tf

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TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), Wednesdays, 7 p.m., Locke Mills Union Church. 11tf

Bethel Fire House Groups, ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: Sunday, 6-7:30, Big Book; Tuesday, 7-8:30, Women's Discussion; Friday, 7:30-9, 12 Steps. 31tf

AA meets every Thursday, 6:30 p.m., basement Congregational Church, Bethel. 24tf

AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 p.m., Telstar Regional High School. 28tf

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NOTICE

To all our great customers and friends: We won't be having any apples or cider this fall. They froze in May. See you in 1991!!!

Korhonen Farm, West Bethel.

**Public Notice**
**Town of Newry**

On September 11, 1990 a referendum vote to authorize selectmen to form a committee to formulate a plan to withdraw from SAD#44, expenses not to exceed $9,500. Polls will be open from 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM.

**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**
**TOWN OF BETHEL**
**BETHEL PARK APARTMENTS**
**SITE PLAN AND SUBDIVISION APPLICATIONS**

The Town of Bethel Planning Board will hold a public hearing on the Bethel Park Apartments Site Plan and Subdivision Applications, on Thursday, September 6, 1990 at 7pm in the Lecture Hall at Telstar High School, Rte, 26, Bethel. The proposed project is located off Mason Street in Bethel. The applications and site plans are on file for public viewing at the Bethel Town Office, Main St., Bethel, Mon-Fri 8am-5pm. 824-2669.

Bethel Planning Board

## Four Volunteers Wanted To Serve on Sign Ordinance Subcommittee

The committee will research and write a sign ordinance for the Town of Bethel. Business people are encouraged to apply.

Applicants should apply to Rodney Lynch, Town Manager, by September 7, 1990.

**TOWN OF BETHEL**
**REQUEST FOR BIDS FOR TOWN OFFICE RENOVATIONS TO COLE BLOCK BUILDING**

The Town of Bethel is requesting bid proposals from interested contractors to perform Town Front Office renovation work to the Cole Block Building, Main Street, Bethel, Maine on a cost plus contractor's fee basis.

The renovation work will include but not be limited to the following:

1. Suspended Armstrong ceiling system to match previous renovation. Approx. 1008 sq. ft. @8' - 6" HT.
2. Ceiling to have insulation value of R-38 with no vapor barrier and adequate venting. Install 17 recessed fluorescent lighting fixtures same size and lumens as previous, to provide 70 candlepower per surface foot at desk level, and in front of vault.
3. Install WIREMOLD power poles at previously selected desk locations. Pole #ALPP-5 has four outlets @ 20 amps-120 volts and is compartmented inside to accept both power and telephone wiring (10 poles required). Pole are hung thru suspended ceiling system and pressure clamped to carpeted flooring. No holes in floor.
4. Remove existing chimney according to Selectmen's directions. (Option - break out as separate item and recommendation)
5. Remove old plaster and shim exterior walls to accommodate R-19 fiberglass insulation. Install 6 mil. vapor barrier. Apply ½" drywall from floor to old ceiling. Tape and patch, and prepare for paint.
6. Paint all interior walls to match previous with primer and three finish coats. Semi-gloss latex on walls - semi-gloss oil on woodwork.
7. Install four new insulated low E MARVIN 36 x 28 1/1 windows same as previous to plan locations.
8. Install new wood BROSCO F-117 EXTERIOR entry door 3-0 x 6-8 pre-hung and drilled to accommodate new entrance handle lock, and keyed alike to Deadbolt transferred from old door by contractor. Install F-117 INTERIOR door to inside of sheltered entry.
9. Shim, level and install approx. 1008 sq. ft. ¾" AC plywood floor underlayment.
10. Install 12' service counter and 7' outdoor-wrap closet per plan.
11. Custom build shelving and closets on North Wall according to Town employee suggestions.
12. Install baseboard heating, same as previous.
13. Provide approximately 112 yds. commercial carpeting installed - to match.
14. Provide estimates for miscellaneous materials.

A floor plan blueprint and specifications may be picked up at the Town Office. Arrangements to inspect the office space may be made by contacting the Town Manager or Town Clerk. Please include in your proposal a cost-breakdown, hourly wage rates, estimated start up and completion dates, insurances, references and experience, and schedule for performing the work so as not to interrupt the Town Office operations.

Proposals must be received on or before 12:00 P.M., Thursday, Sept. 13, 1990 at the office of the Town Manager, 10 Main Street, P.O. Box 108, Bethel, Maine 04217, Tel. 824-2669.

The Selectmen reserve the right to reject or select any and all proposals.

Rodney C. Lynch
Town Manager

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| 1988 Subaru GL<br>4 dr sedan, automatic,<br>only 24,000 miles<br>**$6295** | 1988 Buick Skylark Limited<br>4 door, AT, AC, V6, loaded, 34,000 miles<br>**$6995** | 1986 Nissan 4x4 Pickup<br>with cap, 5 speed<br>looks new<br>**$4995** | 1988 Volkswagon Golf GT<br>5 speed, AC, loaded<br>**$8995** |
| 1986 Oldsmobile Cutlass Ciera<br>AC, AT, cassette,<br>2 tone blue<br>**$3895** | 1987 Chevrolet S-10 Blazer<br>V6, 5 speed, 33,000 miles, great shape<br>**$7495** | 1987 Subaru GL 4x4 Wagon<br>extra clean, 5 speed<br>**$5295** | 1980 Toyota 4x4 Pickup<br>only 53,000 miles<br>fantastic condition<br>**$3495** |

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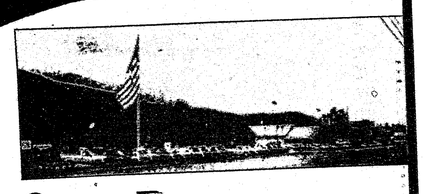

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# Births

Joel and Linda Putnam, P.O. Box 1191, Mars Hill, N.C., are pleased to announce the birth of a son, Joel Ryan, born on Aug. 24 at Memorial Mission Hospital, Asheville, N.C., weighing, 8 lb, 1 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Phil and Mary Learned of Andover.

Paternal grandparents are Paula and Bill Smith of Andover.

Joel joins a sister, Jessica, age 1½.

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On Aug. 2, Keith and Launie Bartlett of Milford, Mass. became parents of a 7 lbs, 8 oz. baby boy, Jeffrey Kyle, born at the Newton-Wellesley Hospital in Newton, Mass.

Maternal grandparents are Julie and Frank Kurpiel of Adams, Mass.

Paternal grandparents are Suzanne and Keith Bartlett of Bethel.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Julie Kulpa of Adams, Mass. and Mrs. Harriett Stowell of West Bethel.

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Staff Sargent Adam and Elizabeth Lowell Rice of Killeen, Texas, formerly of Waterford and South Paris, are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Bryenna Leigh Rice. She was born on Aug. 13 at Darnell Community Hospital, Fort Hood, Texas where Adam is stationed in the Second Armored Division.

Maternal grandparents are Bob and Joan Lowell of South Paris. Maternal great-grandparents are Robert and Vivian Milton of Auburn.

Paternal grandparents are Elaine Kimball and Donald L. Rice of East Waterford. Paternal great-grandparents are Merritt and Bertha Kimball of South Waterford and Earlon and Mary Rice Keniston of Bethel and the late Rufus E. Rice.

# Religious Services

**ALBANY**

**Congregational Church**
Hunt's Corner Road
Rev. Norman F. Rust, Minister
Phone: 583-4633
Sunday: Worship service 10 a.m., June-Sept.
Church Suppers: 2nd & 4th Thurs., July & August.

**ANDOVER**

**First Congregational Church**
**United Church of Christ**
Rev. E. Marriotte Churchill
Phone: Church 392-4678; Parsonage 392-3081
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service and Sunday School; 6 p.m. Youth Group.
Wednesday: 7 p.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.
Thursday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at C.E.B.

**Calvary Congregational Church**
South Andover
Rev. Donald Grover Sr.
392-1121
Sunday: Sunday School, all ages, 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45-12; Evening Service, 7 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Friday: Youth group, 6 p.m.

**BETHEL**

**Bethel United Methodist Church**
Main Street
Rev. Lisa Vonderheide
Tel. 824-2910
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service. Nursery care provided.

**West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ**
Church Street
Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors
Sunday: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m. Nursery care provided.
Clothing Depot: Call 824-2653 or 824-2193 for assistance.

**Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance**
Rte. 26
Nathan B. Seckinger, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. (3-year-olds through adults). Babysitting for all children under 5 years during Church. Morning Worship, 10 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

**Church of the Nazarene**
Church Street
John Clayton, Pastor
Tel. 824-3029
Sunday: Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.

**Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church**
Rte. 26
Rev. Albert B. Colpitts
Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Anticipated Mass

**Pleasant Valley Bible Church**
Flat Road, West Bethel
Ron Provencher, Pastor
836-2828
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. Ages 2 to adult. Morning Worship, 10 a.m. Nursery for children through age 2. Children's church and junior church ages 3 through Grade 3.
Wednesday: Prayer and Bible study, 6:30.
Friday: Awana Clubs

**West Bethel Union Church**
Route 2
John Williams, Pastor
Phone: Church 836-2925
Sunday: Morning Worship and Church School, 9:15 a.m. Nursery provided for pre-school children.
2nd Wednesday: Ladies' Chapel Aid, 7:30.

**BERLIN, N.H.**

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**
Corner of Main & Tenth Streets
Sunday: Morning Services and Sunday School, 11 a.m. (for pupils up to the age of 20 years.)
Wednesday: Evening Meeting, 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

**Orthodox Church of the Holy Resurrection**
20 Petrograd Street
Fr. Joseph Letendre, Pastor
Tel. 603-752-2254
Saturday: Great Vespers, 7 p.m.
Sunday: Divine Liturgy, 9 a.m.
3rd Saturday of the month: Church School, 3 p.m.

**BRYANT POND**

**Baptist Church**
Route 26
Linwood Hanson, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
Thursday: Awana Clubs

**Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church**
Perkins Valley Road, Bryant Pond
Pastor Michael Cabana
Phone: 743-6999 (home), 674-3232 (church)
Saturday: Sabbath School, 9:20 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.
Tuesday: Prayer Circle, 12:30 p.m. ; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m. (children's program provided).
Wednesday: Pathfinder Club Meeting, 6 p.m. (ages 10 and up)

**Church of the Open Door**
Rt. 232
Pastor Eddie Gamman
665-2021
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m., at the North Woodstock Meeting House.
Wednesday: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m., in area homes.

**LOCKE MILLS**

**Locke Mills Union Church**
Pastor: Rev. Genavieve Heywood
Sunday: Morning Worship and Church School, 9 a.m.

**NEWRY**

**Newry Community Church**
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Sunday: Morning Worship, 9 a.m. with special service for children.

**OXFORD HILLS**

**St. Catherine of Sienna**
29 Paris St., Norway
Rev. Albert B. Colpitts
Anticipated Mass, Saturday, 4:30 p.m. & 7 p.m.
Sunday Masses, 8:45 and 11:00 a.m.

**Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)**
Silent meeting for worship, Sunday, 9:30 a.m., at Ripley House, 52 High Street, So. Paris. Families welcome. Contact Arla Patch, 665-2224

**Oxford Hills Assembly of God**
Coldwater Brook Road, Oxford
Pastor Glyn Davies, 743-2569
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Bible Study.

**Christian Science Society, Norway**
9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday: Services and Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Wednesday: Evening meeting, 7:30 p.m. includes testimonies of healing.
Reading Room: Tuesday, 1 to 4 p.m., and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**
Rte. 117, South Paris
Rev. John Matzke, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.

**RUMFORD**

**Praise Assembly of God**
East Andover Rd., Rumford Center
Rev. Robert Rainville
364-3856
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., Sunday School; 10:30 a.m., Worship Service; 6:30 p.m., Evening Service.
Wednesday: 7 p.m., Fellowship.

**Rumford World Outreach**
325 York St., Rumford
Pastor Bob Colby
369-9373
Sunday: 10 a.m., Sunday School (Sunday School bus); 10 a.m., Worship Service.
Wednesday: 7 p.m., Evening Service
Friday: 7 p.m. Rumford Christian Academy, K-12; Grace Bible School

**Rumford Point Congregational UCC**
Rev. Genavieve Heywood
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

**WEST PARIS**

**West Paris Baptist Church**
Rev. Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
Tel. 674-2920
Sunday: Worship Service, 9 a.m. (nursery care for pre-schoolers); Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m., joint service at the North Paris Federated Church.
Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

**West Paris First Universalist Church**
Rev. Don Rollins, Ministerial Intern
Tel. 674-2944
Sunday: Worship Service, 10 a.m.

**North Paris Federated Church**
Rev. Jonathan Haslett, Pastor
Sunday: Family Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise Service, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study at the home of Ruth and Harry Perkins; John Callina, teacher.
Thursday: 1 p.m. Hour of Power Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.

THOUGHTS FROM THE
## Pastor's Study

*The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words, comfort and help for your daily life.*

The evolution of words has always been of particular interest to me. Take the words "mediocre" and "mediocrity," for instance. They simply mean "average," "ordinary," "in the middle." There's nothing wrong with being mediocre, in this sense. Mediocrity is part of being human.

The philosophers of the Middle Ages believed that there was a Great Chain of Being with humanity in the middle, midway between the beasts and the angels. This is literally a mediocre position—midway, in the middle.

It's odd, however, that in our modern age the words "mediocre" and "mediocrity" have come to be understood almost entirely in a negative sense. They are almost synonomous with "inferior" or "inadequate." It is as though being ordinary, average, human (in its deepest sense) is a bad thing. It is as though our best efforts are not good enough unless we do something extraordinary, as though we are failures by being simply human.

There is an old Shaker song that I think expresses a profound truth. It is called "Simple Gifts," and it goes:

'Tis the gift to be simple, 'tis the gift to be free;/'Tis the gift to come down where we ought to be;/And when we find ourselves in the place just right,/'Twill be in the valley of love and delight.

What brings us love and delight is not being extraordinary or exceptional, or rich and famous and powerful, but finding the "place just right," "where we ought to be." It is, ultimately, doing the will of God, whatever that means for each of us.

In the life of Jesus we find a person who was, in many ways, mediocre. He lived in an obscure country in an out-of-the-way corner of the Roman Empire. He was never rich or powerful or even successful. He never achieved much fame in his own lifetime. And yet his life and teachings revolutionized the world.

Perhaps there is a lesson in this for those of us who are tempted to look down our noses at the "mediocrities" of the world. Our goal in life should not be to make ourselves rich or famous or extraordinary, or to look down upon those who are average or commonplace. Rather, it should be to make the best of our life, given our own individual limitations, and to find the great, the magnificent, the miraculous, within the mediocre.

*Rev. David J. Armstrong*
*United Universalist Churches*
*Norway and South Paris*

## Sunday services to be held Sept. 9 at Middle Intervale Meeting House

There will be a Sunday church service at 2 p.m. at the Middle Intervale Meeting House, with Rev. Norman Rust as minister. Everyone is welcome.

Several errors occurred in last week's account of the quilt show and we wish to correct them.

The floral arrangement of phlox was generously donated by Becky Bailey, not Phyllis Dock.

Also, the little girl who drew the winning raffle ticket was Cathryn Lee, granddaughter of Lee and Ginny Hutchins.

The last meeting of the Society for the year will be held on Monday, Sept. 10 at 7.

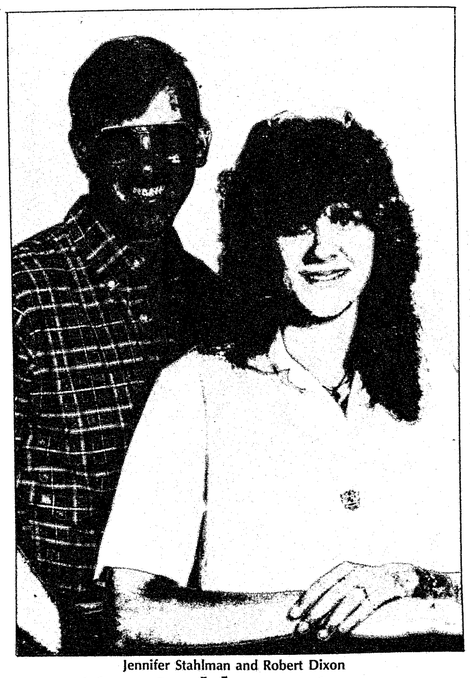
Hope to see you on Sept. 9.

## Conference on Aging Sept. 22 in Augusta

The 13th Blaine House Conference on Aging (BHCOA), sponsored jointly by the Maine Committee on Aging and the Bureau of Elder and Adult Services will be held on Saturday, Sept. 22 at the University of Maine campus in Augusta.

"The theme of the conference will be Empowering the Elderly," says James Normington, Chair of the Maine Committee on Aging. "We hope concerned older people in each region will attend the pre-conference meetings which will be announced by the local area agencies on aging. For information on a meeting in your area, call Western Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-482-0976 or 795-4010."

In an effort to gather local input, each of the five area agencies on aging will hold a number of pre-conference regional meetings. The goal of these regional meetings will be to identify and prioritize issues of concern for older people. A group of regional representatives will take these concerns to the conference in September for further discussion.



Jennifer Stahlman and Robert Dixon

## Jennifer Stahlman to marry Robert Dixon on Sept. 19

Luanne and Olin Gray of Saratoga, Calif. and Jim Stahlman of San Jose, Calif. announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Stahlman of Annapolis, Md. to Robert Dixon of Mt. Lauren, N.J. Dixon is the son of Ken and Alice Dixon of Andover.

Stahlman graduated from Lompoc High School in Lumpoc, Calif. in 1984. She is employed at the Naval Radio Transmitting Facility in Annapolis, Md., as communications watch supervisor.

Dixon graduated from Telstar High School in 1982 and is employed as a telecommunications installation test technician for Swiftsure Communications.

The wedding is set for Sept. 19.

## Former West Paris teacher, wife mark 50th anniversary

Former Norway residents Robert V. and Hildreth Frost of Wellesley, Mass., were honored Aug. 18 at a golden wedding anniversary reception in the parish hall of the First Universalist Church.

Relatives and friends came from Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut and New York to attend the celebration hosted by the couple's children, Robert H. Frost of Brighton, Mass., and Sara Schoman of Lexington, Mass. Their son, Cpl. Dana Stanley Frost, U.S.M.C., was killed in Vietnam in 1966.

Frost, son of the late Theodore and Eva Frost of Norway, retired in 1979 after 40 years in education, the last 22 years as principal of Bigelow Junior High School, Newton, Mass.

During those years he held a two-year appointment from Harvard University to pioneer a vocational guidance program.

He had previously been a high school principal, a math and science teacher and coach of various sports in the high schools of West Paris, South Paris and Southwest Harbor.

He received his bachelor of science degree from Bates College in 1938 and his master's degree in education from the University of Maine in 1952. He was honorably discharged from the U.S. Army Air Corps in 1938.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Frost graduated from Norway High School.

Mrs. Frost is the daughter of the late Franklin A. and Esther Shaw, residents of Norway and later of South Paris. In addition to free-lance writing since 1953, she spent two years editing the Babson Institute Alumni bulletin and 16 years as a reporter/editor on the staff of the News Tribune, a Waltham, Mass., daily newspaper. She currently writes a column for the Wellesley Townsman.

Members of the 1940 wedding party on hand for the occasion were Verta Shaw Waldron of South Windsor, Conn., maid of honor; Stanley W. Frost of Calais, brother of the groom and best man. Bridemaids Virginia Frost Waldron of Vernon, Conn., the bridegroom's sister; Ernistine Ham Ness of Auburn, his cousin; and Virginia Allen of Bangor and ushers, Gordon Ness and Ralph A. Goodwin, M.D., both of Auburn, also attended.

Also among the guests were three of the couple's four grandchildren, Brady W. Frost of Concord, N.H. (brother Daniel could not be present); and Nathaniel and Valerie Schoman of Lexington. Son-in-law Kenneth E. Schoman and niece Shirley Watson Smith were on the reception committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Bartlett

## Jeffrey Bartlett, Karen Gropper wed

Karen Amy Gropper and Jeffrey Stowell Bartlett of West Warwick, R.I. were united in marriage on Oct. 22, 1989 at Hasbranch Heights, N.J.

The bride is the daughter of Joy and George Gropper of Teaneck, N.J. and the groom is the son of Suzanne and Keith Bartlett of Bethel.

Sister of the bride, Andrea Gropper, served as maid of honor; bridesmaids were Laurie Bartlett, sister-in-law of the groom, Susan Gold, Lori Sufferman Cordelia Bowe, Pamela Pond and Dina Lane.

Keith B. Bartlett, Jr., brother of the groom, served as best man and groomsmen were Jeffrey Gropper, brother of the bride, Michael S. Stowell, Jr., cousin of the groom, Michael Paul, Kevin Davy, Joseph Lawless and James Marrinon.

The bride is a graduate of Johnson Wales University in Providence, R.I. and is presently employed as the catering sales manager for the Sheraton-Tara of Warwick, R.I.

A graduate of the University of Rhode Island, North Kingston, R.I., the groom is currently employed by the Computer Center of Falmouth in it's Connecticut district as account manager.

The couple reside at West Warwick, R.I.

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We wish to express our thanks to everyone for their cards, flowers and many other kindnesses and help during the illness and loss of our loved one. A special thank you to Rev. Genavieve Heywood and Myra's many friends, who visited and shared her life.

The family of
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